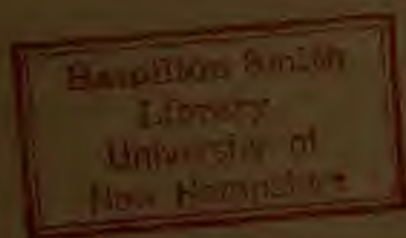


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1926 - 1927



**UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
FOR PERIOD AUG. 31, 1925 TO AUG. 31, 1926
The WATER and LIGHT DEPARTMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926**

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FOR THE

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FOR THE

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UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE

Period Aug. 31, 1925 to Aug. 31, 1926

THE COURIER PRINTING CO., LITTLETON, N. H.

1927

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR
Harry Bingham

CLERK
Walter N. Heald

TREASURER
Ralph E. Colby

SELECTMEN
William H. Shea Fred E. Richardson Fred O. Nourse

SUPERVISORS
Ralph E. Colby Earl J. Ellingwood Ola G. Veazie

REPRESENTATIVES
Albert G. Moulton Frank M. Richardson
William H. Shea Winfield S. Williams

AUDITOR
Clinton W. Eastman

POLICE
Chief, Harry H. Corey
Andrew Brazzill Charles R. Colby
George H. Page Medrick F. Wells

HEALTH OFFICER
John M. Page

SURVEYOR OF WOOD AND LUMBER
Frank E. Bowles

HIGHWAY AGENTS
Edgar O. Baker Fred A. Carpenter

WATER AND LIGHT COMMISSIONERS
Fred A. Dodge
James C. MacLeod Herbert D. Stevens

PARK COMMISSIONERS
Herbert H. Downing
James J. Davis Clinton W. Eastman

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
Charles M. Lane George H. Tilton Orrin W. Hunkins

SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS
Harold A. Edson Leon E. Magoon

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Littleton, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall and Police Court Room, in the Town Building, on the 8th day of March next, being the second Tuesday of March, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for the term of three years, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, an Overseer of the Poor, an Agent to prosecute violations of the liquor law, three members of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library, each for the term of three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds, a Constable and two Highway Agents.

Article 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the laying out, construction and repairing of highways and bridges, for the payment of the town debt and interest, for the maintenance of the poor, for the public library, for the recreation commission, for free hospital beds, toward the maintenance of a District Nurse, for observance of Memorial Day, for band concerts, and for all other town charges.

Article 3. To see what action the town will take for the purpose of securing State aid for trunk line construction of highways in this town under the provisions of an act to provide State aid and for the expenditure of other public moneys in the construction of main highways throughout the State in accordance with Chap. 84 of the Laws of New Hampshire.

Article 4. To see what action the town will take for the purpose of securing State aid for trunk line maintenance of highways in this town, in accordance with Chap. 84 of the Laws of New Hampshire.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money, and if so, how much, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, in cooperation with the State Forester, in the work of preventing the spread of the disease, commonly known as White Pine Blister Rust.

Article 6. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money from time to time during the current year, on the credit of the town, to pay current indebtedness, in anticipation of taxes.

Article 7. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint an agent to act for the town in the transfer of real estate owned by the town.

Article 8. To see what action the town will take with reference to the matter of authorizing the Selectmen to give any druggist, doing business in this town, a prescription permit to sell pure spirituous and malt liquor for medicinal, sacramental, mechanical and scientific purposes, as provided in Chap. 147 of the Laws of the State of New Hampshire.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the highway leading from the Farr Hill Road four-corners to the Harold Hampson farm, as an open highway, and made subject to gates and bars, in accordance with Chap. 79 of the Public Laws of New Hampshire.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the improvement of the road leading from the Pattenville Schoolhouse to Partridge Lake, near the Frank Lewis farm.

Article 11. To see what action the town will take towards rescinding the vote of March 13, 1906, which read:

“Resolved: That the Commissioners of the Water and Light Department be, and are hereby instructed to supply said (Littleton) Hospital with water and light whenever it is furnished to other patrons of the department, and that the same shall be free of charge to said Hospital while it is maintained as such.”

The town now has to purchase from the Bradford Electric Company all electricity used in town.

The Hospital bill for 1926 was \$1,285.72 which was paid by the town.

Article 12. To see if the town will authorize the Tax Collector to appoint deputies.

Article 13. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 14. To choose any other necessary town officers for the year ensuing, and to choose or elect any agents or committees which may be necessary to carry into effect any vote that may be passed under this warrant.

Article 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 19th day of February, 1926.

W. H. SHEA,
F. E. RICHARDSON,
F. O. NOURSE,
Selectmen of Littleton

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF LITTLE- TON, APRIL 1, 1925

2,296 polls	
Real estate	\$2,964,915 00
419 horses	40,785 00
4 mules	200 00
12 oxen	825 00
1,212 cows	52,195 00
45 neat stock	1,525 00
51 sheep	500 00
22 hogs	335 00
Fowls	180 00
Vehicles	900 00
Wood and lumber	720 00
Gasoline tanks and pumps	12,835 00
Stock in trade	1,017,242 60
Mills and machinery	350,200 00
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	\$4,443,357 60

MONEY RAISED, 1925

State tax	\$ 11,820 00
County tax	10,268 66
Support of schools	46,000 00
Highways and bridges	10,000 00
Highways, outside	2,500 00
Permanent improvement	1,500 00
Serial note and interest	7,200 00
Interest	3,500 00
Library	3,000 00
Memorial Day	100 00
Hospital	600 00
Recreation committee	3,000 00
Trunk line maintenance	2,250 00
State aid for highways	500 00
State and federal aid	7,333 33
White pine blister	400 00
District nurse	500 00
Cement bridges	500 00
Foot-bridge, near Saranac	500 00
Foot-bridge, near knitting mill	1,000 00
Meadow cemetery	500 00
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	\$112,971 99
Village District	17,000 00
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	\$129,971 99

TAX RATE ON \$100 for 1924

State, county, school and highway	\$2 50
Littleton Village District	60
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	\$3 10

TAX RATE ON \$100 for 1925

State, county, school and highway	\$2 35
Littleton Village District	60
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	\$2 95

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION

1.	Town hall, land and buildings	\$ 20,400 00
	Furniture and equipment	500 00
2.	Libraries, land and buildings	20,000 00
	Furniture and equipment	2,000 00
3.	Fire department equipment	9,500 00
4.	Highway department, equipment	7,400 00
5.	Parks, commons and playgrounds	7,200 00
6.	Water supply	250,000 00
7.	Town histories	1,500 00
8.	Blandin tract water shed	56,000 00
9.	State tract water shed	9,000 00
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		\$383,500 00

MONEY RAISED, 1926

State tax	\$ 11,820 00
County tax	10,268 66
Support of schools	66,000 00
Highways and bridges	10,000 00
Highways outside	2,500 00
Permanent improvement	1,500 00
Serial note and interest	10,700 00
Interest	3,500 00
Library	3,000 00
Memorial Day	100 00
Hospital	600 00
Recreation committee	3,000 00
Trunk line maintenance	3,100 00
State Highway maintenance	1,000 00
State and federal aid	7,333 33
White pine blister	400 00
District nurse	600 00
Electric lighting	3,000 00
Band concerts	250 00
Meadow cemetery	500 00
Trunk line construction	5,000 00
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	\$133,338 66
Village District	17,360 00
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	\$150,698 66

TAX RATE ON \$100 for 1926

State, county, school and highway	\$3 05
Littleton Village District	60
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	\$3 65

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF LITTLE- TON, APRIL 1, 1926

2,178 polls	
Real estate	\$3,014,515 00
510 horses	36,985 00
1 mule	50 00
959 cows	53,145 00
50 neat stock	1,680 00
49 sheep	430 00
1 hog	20 00
265 fowls	300 00
Vehicles	700 00
Wood and lumber	500 00
Gasoline tanks and pumps	15,946 00
Stock in trade	803,696 87
Mills and machinery	335,200 00
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	\$4,263,167 87

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LITTLETON

Estimates of Revenue for the ensuing year, February 1, 1927
to Feb. 1, 1928, compared with actual Revenue of the
previous year, Feb. 1, 1926, to Feb. 1, 1927

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year, 1926	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year, 1927
From state:		
Insurance tax	\$ 9 37	\$ 9 37
Railroad tax	1,026 70	1,026 70
Savings bank tax	6,971 64	6,971 64
For fighting forest fires	112 05	112 05
For highways:		
(a) For state aid maintenance		650 00
(b) For trunk line maintenance	3,091 37	4,650 00
Interest and dividend tax	3,444 22	3,444 22
From local sources except taxes:		
All licenses and permits except		
dog licenses	293 50	275 00
Fines and forfeits	154 17	150 00
Rent of town hall and other		
buildings	1,574 00	100 00
Interest received on taxes and		
deposits	183 08	150 00
From poll taxes	2,416 00	2,400 00
From other taxes except property		
taxes		
(a) National bank stock	600 00	600 00
(b) Automobile permits	6,456 65	6,500 00
Revenue applicable only to new con-		
struction and improvements:		
From state:		
(a) For state aid highway		
construction		1,500 00
(b) For trunk line highway		
construction	5,091 28	
Amount raised by issue of bonds		
or notes	41,500 00	41,500 00
Revenue which must be paid to		
other governmental divisions:		
Dog licenses	506 59	500 00
Total revenue from all sources		
except property taxes	\$ 73,758 71	\$ 70,538 98
Amount raised by property		
taxes	149,735 28	150,000 00
Total revenues	\$223,493 99	\$220,538 98

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LITTLETON

Estimates of Expenditures for the ensuing year, Feb. 1, 1927
to Feb. 1, 1928, compared with actual Expenditures of
the previous year, Feb. 1, 1926 to Feb. 1, 1927

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1926	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1927
Current maintenance expenses:		
General government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$ 3,200 00	\$ 3,200 00
Town officers' expenses	72 00	75 00
Election and registration expenses	852 95	200 00
Municipal court expenses	300 00	300 00
Care and supplies for town hall	4,119 25	2,500 00
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department	1,060 13	1,060 00
Forest fires	164 10	150 00
Moth extermination	400 00	400 00
Health:		
Health department	459 68	450 00
Vital statistics	328 45	325 00
Highways and bridges:		
State aid maintenance		
State's contribution	1,000 29	650 00
Town's contribution	1,000 30	650 00
Trunk line maintenance		
State's contribution	3,091 37	4,650 00
Town's contribution	3,091 37	4,650 00
Town maintenance	11,867 25	11,000 00
Street lighting	4,240 55	4,240 55
Education:		
Libraries	3,000 00	3,000 00
Charities:		
Town poor	2,160 88	2,200 00
Patriotic purposes:		
Memorial day and other celebra- tions	100 00	100 00
Community center	3,000 00	3,000 00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries	519 80	100 00
Interest:		
On temporary loans	885 00	885 00
On bonded debt	1,872 50	1,872 50
On long term notes	2,881 69	2,707 33

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1926	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1927
Highways and bridges:		
State aid construction		
State's contribution		1,598 50
Town's contribution		3,197 25
Trunk line construction		
State's contribution	5,091 28	
Town's contribution	5,091 28	
Indebtedness:		
Payment on principal of debt		
(b) Long term notes	3,985 00	3,985 00
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
State taxes	12,360 00	12,360 00
County taxes	10,268 66	10,268 66
Payments to precincts	24,860 00	24,860 00
Payments to school districts	70,317 69	65,000 00
Total expenditures	\$181,641 47	\$169,634 79

BALANCE

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer	\$ 15,444 69
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Sinking Funds:

Cash belonging to sinking funds:	52,415 06
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Accounts due to the town:

Due from state:

(a) Highway Dept., Trunk Line Maintenance	316 52
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(b) Highway Dept., Trunk Line Construction	30 35
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(c) Bounties	25 00
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Due from county:

Care of paupers	413 01
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Other bills due town:

Taxes not collected:

(a) Levy of 1924	470 24
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(b) Levy of 1925	236 64
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(c) Levy of 1926	2,454 70
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Water and Light Department:

Proportion of serial notes issued to cover Blandin tract purchase	47,062 00
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Proportion of outstanding bonds, due June 1, 1927	15,000 00
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Littleton Savings Bank, deposit covering

town's proportion of serial note due June 1, 1927	4,000 00
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Total assets	\$137,868 91
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Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	52,223 29
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Grand total	\$190,092 20
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SHEET

January 31, 1927

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:

Due to school district:

(a) Balance of appropriation \$ 20,000 00

(b) Dog licenses 280 29

Interest: On town's proportion new serial
note issue

461 91

On \$60,000 bonds December 1 to Jan. 31,
1927

350 00

Bonds outstanding:

\$60,000 3½% (Town \$45,000; Water
and Light \$15,000) due 1927 60,000 00

Serial notes outstanding:

Water and Light 47,062 00

Schools, new bridge, town floating debt 61,938 00

Total liabilities \$190,092 20

Grand total

\$190,092 20

RECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Current revenue

From local taxes: \$146,784 16

Property taxes committed

to collector, 1926 \$149,735 28

Less discounts and abate-

ments, 1926 496 42

Less uncollected, 1926 2,454 70

1. Property taxes, current
year actually collected 144,368 16

2. Poll taxes, current year,
actually collected 2,416 00

3. Property and poll taxes
previous years actually
collected 4,793 98

4. Interest on above 183 08

Total of above collections \$151,761 22

From State:

5. (a) Trunk line construction \$4,502 82

(b) Trunk line maintenance 621 59

(c) Snow removal 106 61

6. Insurance tax 9 37

7. Railroad tax 1,026 70

8. Savings Bank tax 6,971 64

9. Fighting forest fires 112 05

10. Tax on interest and dividends 3,444 22

From County:

11. For support of poor 754 14

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

12. Dog licenses 506 59

13. Business licenses and permits 293 50

14. Fines and forfeits, municipal court 154 17

15. Rent of town building 1,574 00

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PAYMENTS

For year ending January 31, 1927

PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expense:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 3,200 00
2. Town officers' expenses	72 00
3. Election and registration expenses	852 95
4. Municipal court expenses	300 00
5. Expenses town hall	4,119 25

Protection of persons and property:

6. Police department	1,060 13
7. Forest fires	164 10
8. Bounties	25 00
9. Damage by dogs	226 30
10. White pine blister rust	400 00

Health:

11. Health department	459 68
12. Vital statistics	328 45

Highways and bridges:

13. Snow removal	580 74
14. Trunk line maintenance	3,519 23
15. State aid maintenance	962 87
16. Joint-fund account	8,761 22
17. Town maintenance	11,867 25
18. Street lighting	4,240 55
19. Water troughs	123 00
20. Care of Waterford bridge	120 00

Libraries:

21. Library appropriation	3,000 00
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Charities:

22. Town poor	2,160 88
23. County poor	1,167 15

Patriotic purposes:

24. Memorial Day exercises	100 00
25. Community center	3,000 00

Unclassified:

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RECEIPTS AND

Brought forward from page 16	
16. Permits for registration of motor vehicles	6,456 65
Miscellaneous:	
Water and Light Dept., interest on \$15,000	525 00
Pemigewasset Nat. Bank, stock tax	11 00
Citizens Nat. Bank, Tilton stock tax	15 00
Merchants Nat. Bank, Manchester, stock tax	1 00
Laconia Nat. Bank, stock tax	10 00
Littleton Nat. Bank, stock tax	563 00
Littleton Savings Bank, withdrawn to pay serial note	4,090 00
Proceeds Deborah Bass bank account	10 91
Town of Bethlehem, supplies	34 80
E. L. Howland, governor spring	2 20
E. O. Baker	203 95
Littleton Village District, one-half scarifier contract	475 00
Order favor of J. W. Farr, 1925, lost	6 00
A. L. Blumenthal, scrap iron	6 58
F. B. Kinne	25 95
Town of Bethlehem, use of grader	30 00
Milk licenses	46 00
B. & M. R. R., acct., fire, Mrs. Campbell	8 80
Town of Bethlehem, use of roller	25 00
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	41,500 00
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Total receipts from all sources	\$225,885 46
Cash on hand February 1, 1926	19,333 77
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Grand Total	\$245,219 23

PAYMENTS (continued)

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Unclassified:

26. District nurse	600 00
27. Cemeteries	519 80
28. Abatements	24 25
29. Littleton Hospital	1,985 72
30. Taxes bid off	485 10
31. Miscellaneous	2,418 38

Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	885 00
33. Paid on bonded debt	1,872 50
34. Paid on Blandin tract purchase, new bridge and floating debt	2,881 69

Indebtedness:

35. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	41,500 00
36. Deposit Littleton Savings Bank town's proportion serial note due June 1, 1927	4,000 00
37. Littleton Savings Bank, 3rd serial note	3,985 00

Payments to other governmental divisions:

38. Taxes paid to state	11,820 00
\$2.00 on 270 polls	540 00
39. Taxes paid to county	10,268 66
40. Payments to Village District	24,860 00
41. Payments to Union School District	70,317 69

Total payments for all purposes	\$229,774 54
Cash on hand January 31, 1927	15,444 69

Grand total	\$245,219 23
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DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Detail 1. Salaries of Principal Town Officers:

Selectman, William H. Shea	\$500 00	
Selectman, Fred E. Richardson	450 00	
Selectman, Fred O. Nourse	400 00	
Auditor, Clinton W. Eastman	150 00	
Probation Officer,		
Herbert D. Stevens	50 00	
Treasurer, Ralph E. Colby	100 00	
Collector, Frank E. Bowles	900 00	
Overseer of the Poor, George Houle	150 00	
Town Clerk, Walter N. Heald	350 00	
Prosecuting Liquor Agent, John		
B. Nute	50 00	
Building Inspector, Edwin H. Gould,		
1925-1926	100 00	
		\$3,200 00

Detail 2. Expenses:

C. S. Gray, bond	\$ 54 00	
F. E. Richardson, auto	18 00	
		\$ 72 00

Detail 3. Election and Registration Expenses:

C. E. Garand, erecting booths	\$ 8 55
C. E. Carpenter, ballot clerk	30 00
Baptist Ladies' Society, meals	40 00
L. I. Brown, ballot clerk	20 00
F. J. Stoddard, gate-keeper	15 00
E. H. Gould, ballot inspector	30 00
F. E. Green, ballot inspector	30 00
F. M. Richardson, moderator	20 00

E. J. Ellingwood, gate-keeper	30 00	
Fred Kelley, supervisor	125 00	
S. L. Eaton, supervisor	125 00	
J. L. Childs, supervisor and expense	129 75	
Courier Printing Co., check-lists	214 75	
Harry Bingham, moderator	10 00	
C. Trombley, meals	8 15	
John Gonyer, erecting booths	6 75	
C. J. McHugh	10 00	
		<hr/> \$ 852 95

Detail 4. Municipal Court:

Salaries:

Harry L. Heald, Justice	\$ 300 00
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Detail 5. Care and Supplies for Town Building:

H. H. Corey, janitor	520 87
John Gonyer, glass and labor	9 95
A. J. Barrett, insurance	261 00
C. E. Garand, labor	9 80
Hunkins & Eaton, insurance	221 12
C. S. Gray, insurance	252 00
C. P. Leckner, clock repairs	16 00
C. E. Parker, supplies	10 80
Carbonneau & Son, labor	8 59
R. Emerson, labor	1 56
Paul Drouse, labor	16 00
Northern Coal Co., coal	663 17
Herbert Lahout, blankets	10 80
E. T. Stevens, labor	173 17
Richardson & Cameron Co., labor	1 88
Littleton Hardware Co., labor and supplies	68 64
A. C. Hathorne Co., new roof	1,150 00
E. J. Ellingwood, trucking	13 40
Frank Rancour, labor	16 75
Water & Light Dept., water and lights	674 42
Roy M. Bedell, labor	19 33
	<hr/> \$4,119 25

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Detail 6. Police Department:

Harry H. Corey, chief of police	\$ 729 13
Charles Colby, police and traffic	89 00
Medrick F. Wells, police and traffic	97 00
George H. Page, police and traffic	95 00
Andrew Brazzill, police and traffic	50 00

\$1,060 13

Detail 7. Forest Fires:

E. L. Howland, warden	\$ 164 10
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Detail 8. Bounties:

Bear and wild-cats	\$ 25 00
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Detail 9. Damage by dogs:

George J. Mayer, dog-tags	\$ 10 70
Courier Printing Co., printing	60
Alexander Campbell, lambs killed	150 00
C. E. Boynton, dog-killer	65 00

\$ 226 30

Detail 10. White Pine Blister Rust:

Forestry Dept., appropriation	\$ 400 00
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HEALTH

Detail 11. Health Department:

C. E. Parker, fumigators	\$ 113 05
Gadbois & Greenwood, supplies	11 23
H. H. Corey, fumigating	54 00
P. A. Pion, services	24 50
J. M. Page, health officer and expense	235 40
Evans Printing Co., milk cards	6 50
Salomon's Inc., rent	15 00

\$ 459 68

Detail 12. Vital Statistics:

G. A. Merrill, marriages	\$ 1 50
N. E. Canfield, marriages	1 50
J. M. Page, births and deaths	9 25
A. T. Downing, births and deaths	9 00
W. A. Bates, births and deaths	12 50
R. L. Giles, births and deaths	7 50
P. A. Pion, births and deaths	9 75
H. L. Johnson, births and deaths	4 25
H. H. Boynton, births and deaths	1 00
H. C. Pickwick, births and deaths	1 25
W. N. Heald, recording and reporting	270 95
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	\$ 328 45

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES**Detail 13. Snow Removal:**

Downing's Garage, labor	\$ 48 90
Parker Young Co., labor	12 00
Walter Pelletier, labor	38 50
Frank Cady, labor	65 01
The Rocks Estate, labor	85 00
W. F. Parker & Son, labor	59 24
Irving Shores, labor	2 78
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., fence	200 34
Good Roads Machinery Co., posts	68 97
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	\$ 580 74

Detail 14. Trunk Line Maintenance:

Downing's Garage, repairs	\$ 14 16
Emmett Aldrich, painting	44 06
Irving Shores, agent	1,081 50
E. L. Howland, agent	2,379 63
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	\$3,519 23

Detail 15. State Aid Maintenance:

Irving Shores, labor	\$ 45 00
E. L. Howland, agent	917 87
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	\$ 962 87

Detail 16. Joint Fund Account:

Emmett Aldrich, painting	\$ 84 70
E. L. Howland, agent	8,676 52
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	\$8,761 22

Detail 17. Town Maintenance:

N. E. Culvert Co., culvert	\$ 193 65
H. S. Burnham, signs	8 50
O. D. Ellingwood, lumber	49 31
John Gonyer, labor	16 00
Buffalo Roller Co., supplies	24 83
F. L. Blake, blades	17 00
Express and freight	11 23
International Oil Co., oil	31 68
W. A. Carbonnean & Son, labor	1 00
F. J. Bolles, wheel-scraper	75 00
A. H. Dunn, labor	161 00
John Harriman, labor	15 50
Alphonse Pageau, labor	10 00
Duane Hunt, labor, gravel and damage	48 45
L. Lavoie, labor	12 25
A. J. Lavoie, labor	17 50
J. Z. Lavoie, labor	75 13
George Fitch, labor	12 25
Downing's Garage, repairs and supplies	666 76
Moses Mossey, labor	5 50
Northern Garage, labor	2 50
Perkins & Laflamme, labor	2 00
F. L. Cady, labor	7 00
George Harriman, labor	18 00
E. J. Ellingwood, freight and cartage	6 08

George D. Case, road drag	51 85
Pike Mfg. Co., snowing	20 00
Berger Mfg. Co., culvert	485 40
W. E. Carpenter, labor	20 00
Fred Heath, painting	25 00
C. J. Brinn, tractor	400 00
Joseph Pageau, labor	8 40
Roberts Motors, parts	42 50
Buffalo Springfield Roller Co., scarifier and repairs	1,211 49
Lowe Bros. Co., paint	45 00
Earl I. Dodge, labor	12 00
A. J. Bedell, painting	215 65
W. S. Williams, teams	10 50
Bert Tuttle, lumber	34 83
J. E. Dexter, trucking	2 50
Richardson & Cameron Co., supplies	41 50
Duncan Crawford, labor	20 25
Merton Lakeway, labor	15 20
George Allen, labor	12 00
Alfred Moore, labor	12 00
W. H. Allen, labor	52 00
J. M. Wells, labor	24 00
Morris Moore, labor	3 50
Clark Huntoon, labor	30 00
F. J. Bolles, labor	20 00
C. F. Harris, account	55 85
W. I. Richardson, surveying	6 00
Edson & Kinne, account	109 97
Littleton Hardware Co., account	56 80
L. A. Eudy, labor	25 00
Harry Allen, labor	4 00
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	\$4,561 31
E. O. Baker, agent	3,598 15
F. A. Carpenter, agent	3,391 47

F. B. Kinne, agent	281 30
Unexpended balance Highway Dept., acct.	35 02

\$11,867 25

Detail 18. Street Lighting:

Water & Light Dept., street lights	\$4,240 55
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Detail 19. Water Troughs:

Zephrien Lavoie, 1924-25	\$ 6 00
Arthur Forbes, 1925	3 00
Erving Lord	6 00
Water & Light Dept.	90 00
John Delaney, 1926	3 00
Robert Eager, 1926	3 00
John W. Farr, 1924-1925-1926	9 00
Mrs. K. M. Perkins, 1926	3 00

\$ 123 00

Detail 20. Waterford Bridge:

C. S. Gray, insurance	\$ 120 00
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Detail 21. Libraries:

Littleton Public Library, appropriation	\$3,000 00
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CHARITIES**Detail 22. Town Poor:**

Mrs. Tom Allen	\$ 503 59
William Pollock	405 76
Deborah Bass	317 50
Mrs. Ira Bass	280 50
Nelson Liberty	200 65
Wallace Knapp	155 00
Andrew Howland	132 00
Leander Dodge	80 00
Un-named	55 50
Dell Nichols	29 88
Transient	50

\$2,160 88

Detail 23. County Poor:

Perley Mossey	\$ 230 82
Leslie Silver	131 29
Celina Veigue	130 00
Fred Sabine	116 35
Mrs. Clarence Gould	112 37
Henry Benoir	70 88
Urban Coty	65 00
Ed Rich	56 64
Ephrem Bolduc	51 00
Fred Gray	48 50
William Jervah	35 80
Chauncey Bryant	33 72
Un-named	29 50
Hazen Ingalls	20 00
Mrs. Therrien	16 00
Ben Berry	7 03
John McLaughlin	5 00
Dan Murphy	4 00
Transient	3 25
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	\$1,167 15

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Detail 24. Memorial Day	\$ 100 00
Detail 25. Community Center	\$3,000 00

UNCLASSIFIED

Detail 26. District Nurse	\$ 600 00
Detail 27. Cemeteries:	
G. O. Carpenter, Wheeler Hill	\$ 20 00
F. J. Bolles, gravel, Meadow	13 80
Richardson & Cameron, supplies, Meadow	86 00
J. C. Morrill, labor, Meadow	375 00
Paul Drouse, Pattenville	15 00
Ray Parker, West Littleton	5 00
F. G. Carpenter, Wilkin	5 00
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	\$ 519 80

Detail 28. Abatements:

Katherine B. Walsh	\$ 24 25
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Detail 29. Littleton Hospital:

Appropriation	\$ 600 00
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Water and lights	1,385 72
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	\$1,985 72
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Detail 30. Taxes bid off:

Frank Cleveland	\$ 31 72
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Henry Farr	58 43
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Arthur Girard	45 80
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Fred Hadlock	17 25
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E. E. Knapp	60 40
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Sam Nourse	76
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Albert E. Parker	21 06
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James Quinlan, Est.	18 25
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W. I. Greenleaf	166 08
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Herbert Hopkins	30 50
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Elmer Jackman	34 85
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	\$ 485 10
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Detail 31. Miscellaneous:

R. P. Childs Stamp Co., supplies	\$ 8 66
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Richardson & Cameron Co., supplies	33 15
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Automotive Service Bureau, re-prints	11 61
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Crowley & Lunt, directory	7 00
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Assessors' Association, dues	2 00
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E. J. Towle, music	60 00
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W. M. Silsby, supplies	2 25
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John Lytle, expense	3 00
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O. D. Ellingwood, lumber	1 17
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Mrs. Cora Morrison, expense due to injury	67 25
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McMillan Book Co., record book	36 54
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L. S. Farr, land damage	25 00
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C. F. Weeks, accident settlement	200 00
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Courier Printing Co., printing and supplies	623 20
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H. L. Heald, legal services	51 87
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F. E. Bowles, expense	21 70
C. H. Eaton, P. M., inventory postage	27 00
C. H. Eaton, P. M., collector's postage	77 28
E. C. Eastman Co., books	14 51
Hunkins & Eaton, liability and compensation insurance	254 02
E. M. Brown, auto	8 00
E. B. Wallace, indexing	1 00
W. J. Randolph, transfers	11 60
J. E. Dexter, care of dump	50 00
Littleton Hardware Co., supplies	10 75
George D. Clark, auto	3 50
H. H. Corey, mat	2 00
Edward H. Lane, making taxes	125 00
W. N. Heald, issuing auto permits	293 50
Water & Light Dept., shed rent	25 00
W. A. Bates, services	5 00
Express, telephone, freight and postage	36 32
F. E. Bowles, paid legal services	19 50
W. N. Heald, services to selectmen	300 00
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	\$2,418 38

INTEREST

Detail 32.

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 885 00
Detail 33. Paid on bonded debt	\$1,872 50
Detail 34. Paid on Blandin tract purchase, new bridge and floating debt	\$2,881 69

INDEBTEDNESS

Detail 35. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$41,500 00
Detail 36. Deposits in Littleton Savings Bank, town's proportion serial note due June 1, 1927	4,000 00

Detail 37. Littleton Savings Bank, 3rd serial note	\$3,985 00
Detail 38. Taxes paid to State	\$ 11,820 00
\$2.00 on 270 polls	540 00
Detail 39. Taxes paid to county	10,268 66
Detail 40. Payments to Village District	24,860 00
Detail 41. Payments to Union School District	70,317 69
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Total payments for all purposes	\$229,774 54

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH E. COLBY, Treasurer
WILLIAM H. SHEA
FRED E. RICHARDSON
FRED O. NOURSE

Selectmen

Examined and found correct,

CLINTON W. EASTMAN, Auditor

Annual Report of the Officers
OF THE
LITTLETON VILLAGE DISTRICT
FOR THE
Year Ending January 31, 1927

Officers

COMMISSIONERS

Ellis L. Hudson	Term expires 1927
Earl J. Ellingwood	Term expires 1928
Henry H. Samson	Term expires 1929

ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Joseph O. Mozrall	Chief Engineer
Charles E. Mozrall	First Assistant
George H. Page	Second Assistant
Charles R. Colby	Third Assistant
George W. Smith	Secretary and Treasurer

DISTRICT CLERK AND TREASURER

Walter N. Heald

Littleton Village District

BALANCE

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Village treasurer	\$	11	26
Sinking funds reserved for payment of debt:			

Bonds

Littleton Village District,

4 p. c. 1931	\$	2,500	00
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Town of Littleton, 3½ p. c.

1927		2,000	00
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Town of Littleton (Water)

3½ p. c. 1933		3,000	00
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Deposit

Littleton Savings Bank		2,632	68
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	\$10,132	68
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	\$10,143	94
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Excess of liabilities over assets

(net debt)

	2,856	06
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Grand total

	\$13,000	00
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SHEET

January 31, 1927

LIABILITIES

Bonds outstanding:

Village District, 4 p. c.

Due June 1, 1931

\$13,000 00

Grand total

\$13,000 00

UNIFORM

Littleton Village DistrictRECEIPTS AND

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand at beginning of year	\$ 634 03
Village District appropriation	17,360 00
Village District portion of highway money	7,500 00
Hunkins & Eaton, liability insurance adjustment	74
Elmore Whipple, use of team	52 00
Transient, gasoline	52
W. O. Blake, charging chemicals	2 00
C. E. Stone, leather buckets	10 00
S. O. C., of N. Y., refund	8 05
George Houle, flushing	3 00
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	\$25,570 34

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS For Year Ending January 31, 1927

PAYMENTS

1. Officers' salaries and expenses	\$ 350 00
2. Night watch	1,052 82
3. Fire department	5,163 08
4. Highways	11,332 69
5. Sewers	697 86
6. Sidewalks	2,914 40
7. Interest	2,445 00
8. Miscellaneous	1,603 23
Cash on hand at end of year	11 26

Grand total \$25,570 34

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Officers' Salaries and Expenses:

Commissioner Ellis L. Hudson	\$250 00	
Commissioner Earl J. Ellingwood	50 00	
Commissioner Henry H. Samson	50 00	
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Detail 2. Night Watch:

Watchman, Xenophen Stevens	\$1,050 00	
Detex Clock Co., keys	2 82	
	<hr/>	\$1,052 82

Detail 3. Fire Department:

Regular and extra firemen	\$1,818 00	
C. R. Colby, labor	4 00	
American Fire Equipment Co., coats	16 26	
A. N. Farr & Co., material	2 50	
John Huntington, labor	2 72	
Littleton Garage, labor and mdse.	127 04	
Gamewell Co., mdse.	48 65	
F. D. Mullins, mittens	24 00	
R. A. Thompson, labor	18 75	
A. J. Barrett, supplies	1 26	
C. E. Parker, funnel	25	
Bellows & Baldwin, Co., mittens	10 00	
Nelson Whitney, soda	22 40	
Joseph Mozrall, services	155 60	
Downing's Garage, mdse.	25	
Firemen's Convention	50 00	
A. L. Strain, labor on alarm	9 00	
Portalite Co., lamp	40 00	

Eureka Hose Co., siamese	66 15
W. & L. Dept., hydrants and lights	2,686 25
E. J. Ellingwood, fire inspector	60 00

 \$5,163 08

Detail 4. Highways:

A. G. A. Co., beacons and gas	\$ 784 16
A. L. Farr, slabs	3 75
S. D. Tilton, patching	453 00
Barrett Co., tarvia K. P.	132 64
Littleton Coal Co., coal	74 64
Tropical Paint & Oil Co., street paint	101 84
Standard Oil Co., kerosene	74 40
American Road Machinery, Co., blade	8 50
B. & M. R. R., freight	28 29
A. L. Buckley, iron pipe	12 00
N. H. State Hospital, brooms refilled	45 00
N. E. Road Machinery Co., supplies	9 35
O. D. Ellingwood, lumber	44 76
E. O. Baker, use of tractor	21 50
F. J. Bolles, gravel	20 25
Barrett Co., tarvia	1,445 13
E. J. Ellingwood, trucking	5 64
Berger Mfg. Co., culvert	188 40
Standard Oil Co., road oil	690 26
Richardson & Cameron account, supplies	12 26
Edson & Kinne, supplies	18 90
Mrs. H. B. Mann, barn rent	120 00
Downing's Garage, plow	500 00
F. M. Richardson, posts	6 95
Town of Littleton, one-half scarifier contract	475 00
Labor, teams and trucks	6,059 82

 \$11,332 69

Detail 5. Sewers:

Labor	\$ 573 32	
Hooker Mfg. Co., manhole covers	28 47	
Littleton Lumber Co., brick	76 50	
B. & M. R. R., pipe privilege	5 00	
Littleton Hardware Co., one-half MacIver sewer expense	14 57	
	<hr/>	\$ 697 86

Detail 6. Sidewalks:

Labor	\$ 109 30	
Ray T. Gile, surveying	9 00	
Elmore Whipple, cement walks	2,753 07	
I. F. Pennock & Son, Inc., cement	32 03	
Henry A. Dodge, services	2 00	
W. I. Richardson, surveying	9 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,914 40

Detail 7. Interest:

Coupons	\$2,445 00
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Detail 8. Miscellaneous:

W. M. Silsby ,supplies	\$ 8 00
W. N. Heald, clerk	15 00
O. H. Fisher, labor	1 50
A. L. Strain, inspector	50 00
Hunkins & Eaton, insurance	171 48
C. H. Eaton, P. M., postage	11 04
American City, subscription	4 00
F. W. Young, burying horse	6 00
R. C. Elliott, horses	250 00
C. A. Gardner repairs and supplies	23 75
Pike & Gale, feed	205 85
Littleton Steam Ldry., oil	2 40
Express and freight	14 47
Richardson & Cameron Co., labor and supplies	112 72
F. E. Richardson, hay and straw	177 48

Littleton Hardware Co., labor and supplies	86 39	
Spencer Drug Co., supplies	9 15	
C. F. Harris & Co., repairs, sharpening, etc.	44 60	
M. F. Wells, shoeing and sharpening	109 40	
Town of Littleton, rent	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,603 22

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIS L. HUDSON,

EARL J. ELLINGWOOD,

HENRY H. SAMSON,

Littleton Village District Commissioners

Examined and found correct,

CLINTON W. EASTMAN, Auditor

Chief Engineer's Report

of fires in 1926

BELL ALARMS

Feb. 1, Box 47, Bilodeau's, West Main Street
 March 14, Box 46, I. O. O. F. Block, Main Street
 March 23, Box 44, Tilton Block, Main Street
 March 30, Box 52, Bean house, Lafayette Avenue
 April 5, Box 46, Southworth Block, Main Street
 May 7, Box 47, Tilton barn, Bridge Street
 May 8, Box 46, Southworth Block, Main Street
 June 5, Box 52, Tunney barn, Union Street
 Aug. 11, Box 47, Meadow Street
 Sept. 18, Box 54, Nelson's barn, Union Street
 Oct. 9, Box 47, Trayhan Place, West Main Street
 Oct. 19, Box 46, Lee's Restaurant, Main Street
 Nov. 11, Box 46, False alarm, Main Street
 Dec. 21, Box 44, Marsh house, Mill Street

STILL ALARMS

1927

Jan. 25, Box 44, Smith house, Mill Street

Feb. 2, Meadow Street

Feb. 9, Pleasant Street

Feb. 9, Meadow Street

Feb. 13, Hill Street

Feb. 13, Grove Street

Feb. 14, West Main Street

Feb. 22, Lafayette Avenue

Feb. 22, Apthorp

Feb. 24, South Street

March 4, Pleasant Street

March 5, Union Street

March 13, Union Street

March 13, West Main Street

March 15, Grove Street

March 16, Union Street

March 20, Main Street

March 22, Meadow Street

March 23, Union Street

March 28, Grove Street

March 28, South Street

March 31, Apthorp

March 31, Apthorp

April 5, Union Street

April 10, Pleasant Street

April 14, Union Street

April 19, Apthorp

April 20, Main Street

April 25, Saranac Street

May 9, Apthorp

May 9, Lafayette Avenue

May 15, Apthorp

May 21, Union Street

May 27, Apthorp

June 3, Saranac Street

June 27, School Street
 July 3, Cottage Street
 July 17, South Street
 July 22, Hill Street
 Sept. 2, Main Street
 Sept. 13, Cottage Street
 Oct. 18, Apthorp
 Oct. 18, South Street
 Oct. 23, West Main Street
 Nov. 1, West Main Street
 Nov. 9, Union Street
 Nov. 11, Apthorp
 Nov. 22, South Street
 Dec. 2, Apthorp
 Dec. 2, River Street
 Dec. 4, Meadow Street
 Dec. 4, Apthorp
 Dec. 5, Apthorp
 Dec. 5, Pleasant Street
 Dec. 6, Main Street
 Dec. 6, Main Street
 Dec. 8, West Main Street
 Dec. 18, Pleasant Street
 Dec. 18, Union Street
 Dec. 19, Orr house
 Dec. 21, High Street
 Dec. 23, High Street
 Dec. 27, Main Street

1927

Jan. 4, Apthorp
 Jan. 9, Main Street
 Jan. 9, High Street
 Jan. 13, Union Street
 Jan. 13, Union Street
 Jan. 13, Grove Street
 Jan. 23, Grove Street

Jan. 23, Apthorp
 Jan. 23, Highland Avenue
 Jan. 24, Main Street
 Jan. 24, Main Street
 Jan. 25, West Main Street
 Jan. 26, Redington Street

REGULAR FIREMEN

Albert E. Strain	
Joseph O. Mozrall	Chief
Charles E. Mozrall	First Assistant
George H. Page	Second Assistant
Charles R. Colby	Third Assistant
George W. Smith	Secretary and Treasurer
Andrew Brazzill	Bert W. Revoir
Roland Brooks	Arthur L. Strain
George Dempster	Hartwell Smith
J. Kimball Farr	Wayland Tarbell
Joseph J. Goode	Roland A. Thompson
Adolphus Greenwood	Medrick Wells
Paul Holly	Edward Young
Charles Higgins	Joseph Lamarche
George Perry	Ellsworth A. Richardson

WATER AND LIGHT DEPARTMENT

Report of F. E. Green, Treasurer Littleton Water
& Light Department from January 1, 1926
to January 1, 1927

INCOME

Miscellaneous mdse. sales	\$ 1,713 02
Hydrant rentals	2,670 00
Water rentals	17,394 69
Light and power	46,570 17
Street lights	4,240 55
Income from sinking fund	6,024 44
Fuel sold	148 52
	<hr/> \$78,761 39

EXPENSES

Miscellaneous mdse. purchases	\$ 947 02
Office salaries	1,325 00
Office expenses	478 67
Labor (Water Dept.)	2,804 49
Labor (Electric Dept.)	6,021 76
Repairs (Water Dept.)	4,208 71
Repairs (Electric Dept.)	6,620 95
Insurance	1,430 54
Telephone	57 01
Comissioners' salaries	450 00
Interest paid town	2,705 81
Taxes	602 20
Bradford Electric Co. (power)	20,273 25
General expense	327 23

Auto expense	382 16
Bond coupons (3½ % on \$200,000)	7,000 00
Office rent	200 00
	<hr/> \$55,834 80
Profit for year	\$22,926 59

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS	Dec. 31, 1925	Dec. 31, 1926
Cash on hand	\$ 5,897 62	\$ 9,620 52
Cash in Savings Bank	8,047 61	4,047 61
Inventory mdse. in office	150 00	150 00
Accounts receivable (Water Dept.)	4,192 60	5,106 22
Accounts receivable (Light Dept.)	9,719 54	11,900 17
Plant	250,000 00	250,000 00
Land	3,000 00	12,000 00
Blandin land	52,570 00	52,570 00
Sinking funds in hands of Commissioners	143,175 02	152,199 46
	<hr/> \$476,752 39	<hr/> \$497,593 98
LIABILITIES		
Notes payable town	\$ 15,000 00	\$ 15,000 00
Due town (Blandin land)	50,077 00	47,062 00
Bonds 3½ %	200,000 00	200,000 00
Due Commissioners	350 00	450 00
Due town office rent and interest		725 00
Coupons outstanding	148 75	253 75
Surplus	*211,176 64	*234,103 23
	<hr/> \$476,752 39	<hr/> \$497,593 98
*Surplus Dec. 31, 1925	\$211,176 64	
Profit for year	22,926 59	
*Surplus Dec. 31, 1926	<hr/> \$234,103 23	

Report of F. A. Dodge, J. C. MacLeod, H. D. Stevens,
Commissioners of Littleton Water & Light Dept.

Town of Littleton Water & Light 3½ %,	
dated April 1, 1903, due April 1, 1933	\$ 57,000 00
Town of Littleton Water & Light 3½ %,	
dated April 1, 1903, due April 1, 1933	26,500 00
Town of Littleton, Funding 3½ %,	
dated June 1, 1907, due June 1, 1927	11,000 00
Town of Littleton, Union School District,	
dated July 1, 1913, due July 1, 1933	2,500 00
New York City 4 %, dated Aug. 12, 1907,	
due May 1, 1957	3,000 00
Deposit Littleton Savings Bank,	
Littleton, N. H. •	52,199 46
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Total Sinking Fund	\$152,199 46

Examined and found correct,

CLINTON W. EASTMAN, Auditor

January 27, 1927

LITTLETON PARK COMMISSION

REPORT 1926

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	\$ 57 23
Rent, Turner Centre System	60 00
D. C. Remich, Dells fund	273 04
D. C. Remich, Remich Park fund	336 29

726 56

DISBURSEMENTS

Labor on Remich Park and The Dells	\$ 453 05
Trucking and teaming	85 50
Material	21 27
Insurance	18 00
Signs	3 50

	\$581 32
Cash on hand	145 24

\$726 56

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT H. DOWNING,
JAMES J. DAVIS,
CLINTON W. EASTMAN,
Littleton Park Commissioners

January 28, 1927

TRUST FUNDS

January 31, 1927

Harry Bingham, care of cemetery lot	\$ 344 07
John Miller, care of cemetery lot	126 39
Eliza K. Wheeler, care of cemetery lot	315 78
D. C. Remich, Remich Park Fund	7,556 39
D. C. & L. K. Remich, Dells and Kilburn Craggs Fund	6,135 00
Benjamin West & Caroline L. Kilburn Book Fund	5,345 13
O. J. & Lydia Mooney, care of cemetery lot	111 28
George W. Richardson, care of cemetery lot	112 08
Harvey C. Kinne, care of cemetery lot	105 54
Matthias Powers, care of cemetery lot	101 13
Freeman C. Willis, care of cemetery lot	50 00
I. C. Richardson, School Fund	1,100 57
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	\$21,403 36

Examined and found correct,

CLINTON W. EASTMAN, Auditor

February 14, 1927

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

Report of School District Officers for the School Year
July 1, 1925 to July 1, 1926; Recommendations of
the School Board for the School Year July 1, 1927
to July 1, 1928

SCHOOL BOARD

Miss Bessie M. Edson, chairman	Term expires 1929
Earl J. Ellingwood	Term expires 1929
William H. Shea	Term expires 1928
Mrs. Jane H. Robinson	Term expires 1927
Fred A. Dodge	Term expires 1927

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND CLERK OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Orin M. Holman

MODERATOR

Henry A. Dodge

TREASURER

Louise Harris to September 1, 1926—Ralph E. Colby

CLERK

Walter N. Heald

AUDITOR

Clinton W. Eastman

TRUANT OFFICER

Charles Mozrall

SCHOOL NURSE

Ida M. Borg

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. J. M. Page

SCHOOL AND DISTRICT CLERK

Louise Harris Marion E. Craigie

BUILDING COMMITTEE FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

Dr. A. T. Downing

Fred A. Dodge

Harold A. Edson

E. H. Bilodeau

REPORT OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

To the Citizens of Littleton:

The School Board hereby presents for your consideration its annual report of the schools of the town.

Without your interest and co-operation, the great project which has been before us for the past two years could not have been accomplished. We thank you and ask for your continued interest in what seems to us one of the big things in our town development, the educational training of our boys and girls.

At the present time, school buildings in all parts of the town are in fairly good condition. Needed repairs have been made in the rural schools; Kilburn School has been painted and new cement steps and walk have been made, also a much needed walk has been added at Apthorp School.

Our High School building was ready for occupancy for the fall term of school beginning the second week of September, as agreed, though our formal dedication took place on October first.

As members of the School Board we wish in this report to publicly express our appreciation to the Building Committee for their valuable work and especially to the chairman, Dr. Downing, who gave so freely of time and thought.

Already we feel the influence of this new building with its modern equipment and all facilities for carrying on, not only all lines of teaching, but the social activities of our schools as well. Even now we recognize that the standard of our educational system has been raised; that the morale of our school is changed; that progress has been made in every way. For further details of our educational work, we refer you to the special reports.

Each year brings its own financial problems. This year has been largely one of adjustment to new conditions. Therefore with interest to be met, with in-

surance premiums upon the building and also upon equipment to be paid, and with our usual budget for school maintenance, we need an appropriation of \$65,000.00 which is a little less than that of last year. As we meet these obligations, we hope and expect that in a few years' time, our appropriation may get back to more normal conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

Miss BESSIE M. EDSON, Chairman
EARL J. ELLINGWOOD
WILLIAM H. SHEA
Mrs. JANE H. ROBINSON
FRED A. DODGE

TREASURER'S REPORT

The regular audited report of the fiscal year as required by law, July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, July 1, 1925	\$ 3,637 14
Town appropriation, 1925	46,000 00
Balance from 1924 appropriation	2,000 00
Dog licenses	317 69
Tuitions	520 00
Sale of old school buildings, etc.	1,642 54
Received Manual Training Dept., lunches, and miscellaneous	347 47
Total receipts	\$54,464 84

EXPENDITURES

Administration	\$ 2,362.22
Instruction, teachers, books and supplies	32,161 10

Operation and maintenance, fuel, janitors, water, light, minor repairs	5,728 24
Transportation, health, etc.	4,564 62
Insurance	417 93
Buildings and equipment	988 08
Sinking fund and interest	2,000 00
First interest payment on High School	3,400 00
State Treasurer, per capita tax	1,326 00
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Total expenditures	\$52,948 19
Balance on hand June 30, 1926	\$1,516 65

This is to certify that I have audited the foregoing accounts of Louise M. Harris, Treasurer of the Union School District and found them correct and properly vouched and that there was in her hands on the thirtieth day of June 1926, the sum of Fifteen Hundred Sixteen and 65-100 Dollars (\$1516.65).

(Signed) CLINTON W. EASTMAN,
July 31, 1926 Auditor Union School District

**A detailed statement of expenditures for school year
July 1, 1925 to June 30, 1926**

Administration:

Superintendent	\$1,142 86
Clerk, treasurer and office expense	1,134 36
Truant officer and census	85 00
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	\$2,362 22

Instruction:

Joseph D. Vaughan	\$2,800 00
H. J. Cooney	1,800 00
George R. Hutchinson	1,700 00
Wallace A. Welch	1,500 00

Yvonne B. Gardner	1,350 00
Margaret B. Kier	1,225 00
Dorothy B. Ricker	1,200 00
Dorothy Fairbanks	1,100 00
Daisy Bronson (not full time)	1,187 50
Esther Smith	1,000 00
Ethel E. Greer	1,000 00
Esther M. Cleveland (not full time)	921 50
Mildred K. Berman (not full time)	1,030 00
Minnie I. Gray	1,000 00
Frances A. Johnson	1,000 00
Deveda Lamb	900 00
Katharine G. Sherman	1,150 00
Maud E. Allard	1,000 00
Beatrice Evans (not full time)	871 50
Pertie G. Young (not full time)	867 00
Rachel Barton	875 00
Helen H. Paro	950 00
Orlando S. Ward (not full time)	792 50
Mrs. Horace Albee	1,000 00
Irva Jones, music (not full time)	688 40
Substitutes	297 00
	<hr/> \$29,205 40

Textbooks:

D. A. Frazer	\$ 2 16
Longsman, Green & Co.	12 80
D. Appleton & Co.	35 46
Bruce Publishing Co.	2 35
Manual Arts Press	2 19
F. E. Compton & Co.	25 20
Edward E. Babb & Co.	64 57
D. C. Heath & Co.	110 00
Scott Foresman & Co.	16 82
The John C. Winston Co.	18 83
The Arlo Publishing Co.	16 80
Allyn & Bacon	14 40

Ginn & Co.	70 05
J. B. Lippincott Co.	55 56
Desmond Publishing Co.	58 05
Houghton Mifflin Co.	9 10
The MacMillan Co.	40 32
American Book Co.	117 04
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc.	25 00
Funk & Wagnalls	54 00
The Century Co.	8 70
Rand McNally Co.	19 83
Benjamin H. Sanborn Co.	1 35
Silver Burdett & Co.	21 71
Lyons & Carnahan	16 46
Johnson Publishing Co.	1 73
The Frontier Press Co.	21 50
McGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc.	2 55
The National Education Association	50
Gregg Publishing Co.	30 33
	—————\$875 26

Repair and Replacement of Apparatus:

Holly Shoe Company	\$ 1 00
Hanchett Swage Works	20 00
	—————\$ 21 00

Scholars' Supplies:

The Parker Young Co.	\$ 80 03
Frank M. Richardson	44 40
Edward E. Babb & Co.	207 60
Ryan & Buker	67 80
J. L. Hammett Co.	285 68
Milton Bradley Co.	252 34
Harris & Gilpatric	50 72
E. J. Ellingwood	109 65
Earthman Lumber Company	195 80
World Book Co.	22 35
Boston Music Co.	16 64
Theo. Presser Co.	64
Cho Seco Ink Pellet Co.	5 00

Eugene Dietzgen Co.	47	02	
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge, Inc.	16	82	
Iroquois Publishing Co.	3	29	
H. W. Dubois Co.	32	34	
A. N. Farr & Co.	15	00	
The Carborundum Co.	12	50	
Walter Jacobs, Inc.		88	
Public School Publishing Co.	11	50	
Edson & Kinne	89	20	
C. Everett Parker	5	15	
Bailey's Music Rooms	2	85	
The John Church Co.	13	74	
E. H. Bilodeau & Son	25	81	
Teachers' College	2	00	
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	55	67	
W. M. Silsby	4	15	
The Modern Foreign Language Study	5	17	
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	6	35	
MacLeod's	8	16	
Courier Printing Co.	2	50	
Ginn & Co.	2	19	
A. H. Ericsson	6	50	
National Paper Converters	40	00	
Funk & Wagnalls	12	60	
Magoon Grocery Co.	78	41	
Richardson & Cameron Co.	4	60	
			<hr/> \$1,843 05
Other Expenses of Instruction			\$ 173 32
Graduation Exercises and Exhibits			24 97
Flags and Appurtenances			18 00
Operation and Maintenance:			
Janitors:			
V. G. West	\$1,200	00	
John Clark	552	00	
Rural school janitors	166	25	
			<hr/> \$1,918 25

Fuel:

Littleton Coal Co.	\$2,261 79
F. A. Williams	98 00
W. H. Bartlett	24 00
Wilfred Lavoie	24 00
	<hr/> \$2,407 79

Water:

Littleton Water & Light Dept.	\$ 75 00
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Lights:

Littleton Water & Light Dept.	\$ 89 00
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Building and Janitor's Supplies:

Orient Spray Co.	\$ 49 38
The Pioneer Mfg. Co.	66 28
Masury Young Co.	29 00
The Peck Co.	40 00
A. P. W. Paper Co.	27 80
Richardson & Cameron Co.	78 22
George Rolfe	9 00
Atlantic Paint Co.	39 24
Edward E. Babb & Co.	11 56
Clarence H. Lamere	2 52
Noble Refining Co.	31 69
	<hr/> \$ 384 69

Minor Repairs of Buildings and Upkeep of Grounds:

Vernon West	\$142 50
O. M. Holman	48 00
Peter Yette	98 10
E. J. Ellingwood	16 61
Mrs. Florence Monroe	6 34
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	260 49
Philip Brunelle	25 00
I. F. Pennock & Son, Inc.	74 31
A. N. Farr & Co.	9 80
Downing's Garage	5 50
George Simpson	16 00
Hanchett Swage Works	7 15
Holly Shoe Co.	1 08

Robert Eager	2 00	
Mrs. Helen H. Paro	1 00	
Richardson & Cameron	75	
	<hr/>	\$714 63

Repair and Replacement of Equipment:

Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.	\$ 71 00	
Eugene Dietzgen Co., Inc.	35 36	
Milton Bradley Co.	4 13	
E. J. Ellingwood	2 50	
Silsby's Electric Service	2 72	
E. J. Lewis	17 50	
Millers Falls Co.	67	
R. E. Winchester	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$138 88

Auxiliary Agencies:**Health**

Dr. J. M. Page	\$200 00	
Miss Ida M. Borg	200 00	
Supplies	8 72	
	<hr/>	\$408 72

Recreation

J. D. Ouellette, use of playground land	\$ 50 00
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Transportation

Clarence Mudgett	\$ 657 40	
Will Allen	432 50	
Joseph Pageau	692 00	
Mitchell Curran	173 00	
Mrs. Beda Carpenter	214 50	
Mrs. Ray Williams	261 00	
Rupert Willey	503 50	
H. B. Hopkins	175 00	
Will Carpenter	175 00	
Fred Hadlock	696 00	
Harold Blodgett	56 00	
Joseph Finn	70 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,105 90

Fixed Charges:**Insurance**

Chester S. Gray	\$ 270 93	
A. J. Barrett	147 00	
		\$ 417 93

Other Fixed Charges, per capita tax	\$1,326 00
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Construction and Equipment:

Lands and new buildings	\$ 300 00
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New Plant Equipment:

Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	\$ 228 99	
Buck Bros.	13 11	
Rand McNally Co.	13 13	
J. D. Wallace & Co.	27 50	
R. D. McKim Co.	4 41	
J. A. Fay & Egan Co.	312 00	
Wagner Electric Co.	38 27	
		\$ 637 41

New Maps and Apparatus	\$ 50 67
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Debt:

Sinking fund	\$1,000 00	
Interest	4,400 00	
		\$5,400 00

Total expenditures	\$52,948 19
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**Budget Recommended by School Board for the School
Year July 1, 1927 to July 1, 1928**

Administration:

Superintendent's salary	\$ 1,250 00	
Salary of other district officers	250 00	
Salary of clerk	700 00	
Office expense and miscellaneous	300 00	
		\$ 2,500 00

Instruction:

Teachers' and principals' salaries, music, etc.	\$31,740 00
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Books and supplies	2,500 00	
Other expense of instruction	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$34,390 00

Operation and Maintenance:

Janitors	\$ 2,300 00	
Fuel	2,500 00	
Lights	200 00	
Building and janitor's supplies	200 00	
Minor repairs	350 00	
Replacement of equipment	300 00	
Water	75 00	
Miscellaneous	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,025 00

Auxiliary:

Health	\$ 450 00	
Transportation	4,500 00	
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Fixed Charges:

Insurance	\$ 500 00	
Per capita tax	1,208 00	
Old bond issue and interest	2,000 00	
New bond issue and interest	14,460 00	
	<hr/>	\$18,168 00

Total		\$66,033 00
Estimated receipts from tuitions, etc.	\$ 1,033 00	
Recommended to raise	\$65,000 00	

HEADMASTER'S REPORT

To O. M. Holman, Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my fifth annual report as headmaster of Littleton High School.

The teachers of Littleton High School feel that this year marks a new era in education in Littleton for we now have adequate housing facilities.

The plan and arrangements of the building are working out remarkably well. The acoustics of the

assembly hall and the recitation rooms are fine. The light is ample. Heating and ventilating seem to be entirely sufficient, and barring a few adjustments at the beginning of the winter have worked admirably. The building is unusually complete and in most cases the equipment is ample. To be sure there is and always will be some needs.

The children have shown a fine spirit in the care of the new plant. The building committee have given us a wonderfully complete building, have been remarkably fine to work with and best of all have kept well within their appropriation. These wonderful advantages which now surround the pupils are bound to have an effect on the intellectual interests of the children. We, as teachers feel that it is already noticeable in that we are getting more and a better type of work. The attitudes of the pupils have already shown a distinct change for the better. There has been to date less tardiness, less unexcused absences and less failures than at any similar period for the last four years. Withdrawals have been few to date and the registration has been four more than last year. Social gatherings have been better and much better handled.

TEACHERS

As for the past three years I again wish to urge the absolute need of keeping good teachers as long as possible. Littleton High School like any school demands experienced teachers for good work. Superintendents and Headmasters are entirely dependent upon their teaching staff for the quality of work and the morale of the school. I am glad to report that there are no inexperienced teachers on the staff. Our salary schedule is now more nearly at a point where we can get and retain experienced teachers. May we be able to maintain it.

ADMINISTRATION

The class of last June was the first class to graduate that had for their full four years the benefit of the new revised program of study introduced four years ago. When I speak of revised program, I mean the studies that are now offered in our high school. I am thinking particularly of the revision in Mathematics and French. We now give Mathematics in every year of our Liberal and Classical courses. This is as much as is given in any public school in New Hampshire and more than in most of them. Instead of crowding all of high school algebra, geometry and trigonometry into the Junior and Senior years of the high school course with the result that nothing is really accomplished, we give a full year of Algebra to Freshmen, a full year of geometry and trigonometry to Sophomores, a full year of algebra and solid geometry to Juniors and a year of advanced and review algebra two times a week to Seniors. In addition to this in the Practical Arts and commercial courses we are offering a full course in vocational mathematics, which is very largely specialized arithmetic. To all Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors French is taken for three full years. Of the class that graduated last June and went to colleges or schools of higher education all have shown the advisability of this revision. Of the five, who are attending three different colleges, all have maintained a very creditable general average well above the passing grade and of the three who went to normal school not one but maintained a general average of over 82%. The maximum and minimum requirements on grades have on the whole worked advantageously. Achievement tests have been given that prove our work to be on a par with other schools throughout the state and nation. In the commercial department, particularly in typewriting, we have shown a distinct

improvement. Four years ago it was only now and then a girl who could do forty words per minute with any accuracy. Last spring Miss Evelyn West carried off third honors in the state with over sixty words per minute. Pupils who do better than fifty words with reasonable accuracy are now not uncommon. What has been done here has been done in stenography and other lines. One who remembers the work in the manual training department of a few years ago and visits the shop and examines the product today will see as great an improvement. Similar if not as showy improvements have been made along other lines, as shown by the fact that four years ago we could obtain the certificate privilege to college only from year to year. This year it has been granted for a period of four years, the longest period for which this is granted to anyone without renewal. That our pupils are maintaining an excellent standard is further borne out by the fact that out of the present Senior class of thirty-five, fifteen were elected to "Pro Merito" an honorary scholastic society, which requires an average of 85% in all of their work up to the Senior year. Chapters of this society can only be established in schools that maintain good standards. Last year saw the establishment here of the first chapter of this kind in Northern New Hampshire.

ATHLETICS

As heretofore the control of athletics has been vested in an Athletic Advisory Board composed of two students, coach, headmaster and one member of the school board. Little needs to be said of our record in this line for the past year except that we have maintained good teams for the best development of the boys and girls concerned.

DEBATING

Mr. Hutchinson is still carrying on the work of this department with good success. To date we have participated in eight debates. Two with Berlin, two with Lancaster, two with Whitefield and two with Groveton.

MUSIC

Mrs. Jones has carried on the work in this department and has three distinct organizations going well, a boys' glee club, a girls' glee club and an orchestra. A musical comedy, "The Wishing Well" was given by these organizations last spring and was well done and well received. "Once in a Blue Moon" will be given this spring.

PRIZES, GIFTS, ETC.

The annual prize offered by the American Legion and Auxiliary for leadership to the boy and girl in the graduating class went to Frances Heald and Stephen Choquette. The Andrew Bingham, Jr., cup to Claude Brusseau. The Lincoln Essay medal to Hazel Smith. We are glad to report the gift of several large framed pictures, one a gift to the school from the class of 1926, one from Miss Bessie Edson and one from Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mathes. The Elson Art Exhibit given this fall will with these gifts give us six large framed pictures for hanging in the halls of the new building.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. VAUGHAN, Headmaster

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Littleton:

I have the honor to submit a brief resume of some features of the school year 1925-1926, in addition to details of expenditure and other reports.

Schools have been maintained for all children in town for 36 weeks in the grades and 38 weeks in the high school. There was a daily attendance of 527, a daily absence of 29 and a percent attendance of 94.7. In view of remote distances from school, minor sicknesses, etc., this record is good. Children neither absent nor tardy for the year, 42. This is excellent.

All school children had a health examination by Dr. Page and Miss Borg. General improvements and remedial treatments were secured. A vexing invasion of Scarlet Fever afflicted several homes. The untiring vigilance of the School Physician and the cooperation of other physicians made it possible to maintain schools without interruption and with a small percentage of pupils affected. In view of the experience of many towns our record was notable.

TEACHERS

We had one teacher change during the year. Our teachers were a creditable and cooperative group. Practically all were college and normal trained or held state certificates, the highest credential given in New Hampshire. Professional examinations, required by all who have not previously passed them in normal school, have been met with commendable spirit and marked success. A good teacher, who develops and inspires the good side of human nature is a community asset beyond monetary value.

FINANCES

Littleton schools are run with the strictest devotion to economy consistent with good schools. The median cost per pupil in the elementary schools of New Hampshire for the year of this report was \$78.94. The total cost per pupil for average membership in our elementary schools was \$80.18. In high schools in the State the median cost per pupil was \$130.53. In Littleton High School the total cost per pupil was \$92.99. It can be seen then that we are close to the middle point in pupil expense in our elementary schools. In the high school we are \$37 per pupil less than the median expense in the state. It is also a fact that our salary schedule is lower than the salary schedule of the majority of our neighboring towns.

ACHIEVEMENT

Results count. In the high school you are referred to the Headmaster's report, which covers the accomplishments of a successful school year. In the Elementary schools, standard achievement tests were given in grades 2 to 8 inclusive. Results in these tests are standardized by ages. A clever pupil may obtain a result considerably in advance of his real age. A slow pupil may obtain a result less than his age. The following results are quoted. Of course this is relative.

Subject:	%Above Age	%Below Age
Reading	52.5	47.5
Nature Study and Science	52.6	47.4
History and Literature	51.	49.
Language and Grammar	57.	43.
Arithmetic	76.	24.
Spelling	67.	33.
Education age of child compared to real age	65.	35.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We approached the work of the year anticipating a year of interruption, owing to the big building operation so near the school. It is fitting to record that the kind cooperation of Mr. Hunter, the contractor, and the year-long vigilance of Mr. Carter, the Foreman, were so effective that our inconveniences were reduced to as near the vanishing point as possible.

The outstanding achievement of the year was the growth of the high school building, now completed. In view of the predictions that always follow a public structure of such magnitude it is a satisfaction to record that this building, beautiful in design and place; equipped with a clock that continues the usage of a long established habit; furnished in all departments so that it functions as few buildings in Northern New Hampshire can function; was completed by a conscientious committee without asking for an additional penny of appropriation. I would also include Mr. Wells, the architect, the Colonial Club, and all who gave time and thought to the project. The completed work represents a fine public achievement that will be appreciated for generations.

I should like to give my personal thanks to janitors and teachers, to health officers and all co-operating agencies, to citizens and School Board for friendship and counsel in a great enterprise. If we can teach children to be courteous and tolerant in their relationships, to be dependable and industrious in their activities, we are building a safe democracy. If we cannot inspire these humble characteristics, statistics of mental reactions will not make a good school.

Respectfully submitted,

ORIN M. HOLMAN

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

To the Voters of Union School District:

The committee elected two years ago to build and equip a high school building in the town of Littleton is now ready to submit its report and ask for its discharge. Your committee has supervised the erection and equipment of a modern school plant, complete in every detail. Since the dedication there has been added some \$2,200 of modern wood working machinery to the Manual Training Department, the clock has been installed and a mechanical ash hoist has been added to the heating plant. The Riley Strong Post of the American Legion has erected a fine flag pole. To the Baldwin gift for furnishings has been added one from Mrs. G. A. Edson and one from Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gosselin.

The entire plant has been built and equipped and paid for with the funds originally given the committee. No additional funds have been asked and none will be asked for. There is now a balance of cash on hand of nearly \$5,000. From this will be deducted some \$1,900 for clock, telephones in the school rooms and the ash hoist, now in process of erection, and perhaps \$1,000 for the building of cement walks and steps in the Spring. This will leave a balance of about \$2,000 the committee will turn over to the School Board. The financial statement of February 24, 1927 is appended.

Statement of Union School District Building Fund, February 24, 1927

Received:

From I. C. Richardson Fund	\$ 20,460 41
From sale of bonds	159,438 49
Interest on treasury certificates bought	1,604 83
Lumber and material sold from old building	1,229 41

Donation by Harry S. Baldwin	500 00
Donation by C. E. Gosselin	100 00
Donation by Mrs. George A. Edson	100 00
Rebates and commissions	375 74

Paid:

E. H. Hunter	\$147,441 45
Larson & Wells	8,534 70
Tearing down old building and grading new grounds	4,515 46
Equipment for new building and miscellaneous expenses	\$ 18,608 85
Balance on hand, Feb. 24, 1927	4,708 42

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Work in Process of Installation:

New clock	\$ 1,275 00
Telephone system	250 00
Ash hoist	348 65

Respectfully submitted,

A. T. DOWNING,
H. A. EDSON,
F. A. DODGE,
E. H. BILODEAU,

Building Committee

LITTLETON PUBLIC LIBRARY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Lyle M. Hill	Term expires 1927
Mildred P. Silsby	Term expires 1927
Elizabeth T. Beattie	Term expires 1927
Lawrence W. Collins	Term expires 1928
Rev. George H. Merrill	Term expires 1928
George H. Tilton	
Frances T. Bingham	
Ruth R. Lewis	

PRESIDENT

William B. Dickson	Term expires 1928.
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TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1926	\$	819	01
Town appropriation		3,000	00
Income from endowment funds:			
B. W. Kilburn picture collection	\$	97	75
G. H. Tilton book fund		50	00
Caroline L. Kilburn book fund		13	64
Building fund D. C. & E. K. Remick		6,222	17
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	\$	7,383	56
			\$10,202 57

DISBURSEMENTS

Books	\$ 508 75
Periodicals	237 95
Fuel	735 95
Repairs	403 72
Incidentals	69 32
Insurance	127 00
Light and water	177 36
Salary, librarian	975 00
Salary, assistant librarian	392 46
Salary, janitor	251 50
Funds	67 87
Building fund	6,222 17
Cash on hand	33 52
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	\$10,202 57

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of the Littleton Public Library:

The annual report of the librarian is herewith submitted.

Number of titles on shelves, February 1926	15,596
Titles withdrawn during year	200

15,396

New titles added by purchase	411
New titles added by gift	82

493

Number of titles on shelves, February 1927	15,889
Circulation for 1926	32,497
Circulation for 1925	30,682
Gain over 1925	1,815
Largest circulation for one month	3,539
Largest circulation for one day	336

CIRCULATION BY CLASSES

Fiction, adult and juvenile	25,432
History	1,114
Literature	1,153
Arts	347
Sciences	353
Sociology	901
Religion	52
Philosophy	84
Periodicals, newspapers, pamphlets	3,061
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	32,497

The foregoing tabulation speaks for itself. The increase in circulation is very encouraging.

Beginning October 1, a radical change in library service was made. The hours now are, every afternoon 2 to 5:30 and every evening, except Friday, 7 to 8:30, Sundays and holidays excepted. The library now gives 28 hours service each week. The afternoon circulation has exceeded the evening circulation since the first of November.

The usual library events have been observed during the year. We were represented in the Carnival Parade by "Pollyanna," who gave her time and services; March 30, at the close of the story hour,, a candy party was held; in June, the New Hampshire Library Association met with us; in November, Children's Book Week was observed at which time they made and hung upon the walls of their room 179 posters when the Friday Club became responsible for three prizes to be awarded for originality, workmanship and poster quality—the three judges gave their services. Money was given at different times sufficient to allow the purchase of 52 new books for their room which were on display during the week and then put into immediate circulation; at Christmas time, a tree was

placed in their room and all second grade pupils were invited to attend. Santa Claus did his work, as well as Mrs. Varney, who was the Christmas story teller.

The thoughtfulness of the public during the year is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

KATIE G. DANFORTH, Librarian

VITAL STATISTICS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926

Births Registered in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1926

Date of Birth and Name of Child (if any)	Sex		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
	Living	No. of Child					
1880 Jan. 23, Nelson Oliver Lemay	M	2	Nelson Lemay	Phebe Lamb	Littleton	Three Rivers, P. Q.	St. Hervey, P. Q.
1925 Dec. 9	M	1		Marguerite Choquette	Littleton		Littleton
1926 Jan. 8, Lucilla Mary	F	1	James W. Landry	Shirley Santy	Littleton	Landaff	Lyman Vt.
Jan. 8	F	2	Frank Bolduc	Pauline Davio	Littleton	Littleton	Beebe, Columbia
Jan. 13, Scott Roy Jr.	M	1	Scott R. Harriman	Bertha J. Placey	Littleton	Dalton	Stoke Ctr., P. Q.
Jan. 14, Mary Eva Adelia	F	6	Jos. L. Laflamme	Selena M. Daigle	Littleton	Warner	Cabot, Vt.
Jan. 18, Norman Willard	M	1	Hardy Belville	Bessie A. Adams	Lisbon	Peacham, Vt.	Barnet, Vt.
Feb. 2	F	4	William Wright	Alice Gravett	Littleton	Lisbon	Nashua
Feb. 12, Janet Esther	F	3	Timothy Santy	Marion Connor	Littleton	Lyman	Providence, R. I.
Feb. 13, Jane Marilyn	F	1	Harold E. Tabor	Olga E. Irons	Littleton	Cranston, R. I.	Littleton
Feb. 16, Barbara Baker	F	2	Joseph Fadden	Barbara Baker	Littleton	Lunenburg, Vt.	Cabot, Vt.
Feb. 19, Marilyn Ada	F	2	Leslie A. Plant	Mary A. Cleveland	Littleton	Littleton	Sherbrooke, Que.
Feb. 21	M	7	Thos. F. Monohan	Jennie Bisson	Twin Mt.	Dover	Littleton
Feb. 22, Clinton Francis	M	1	Raymond Phillips	Doris B. O'Neil	Littleton	Twin Mt.	Quebec
Mar. 11, Mary Ruth	F	1	Meddie Perry	Mina Toupier	Littleton	Littleton	Milton, Mass.
Mar. 14, Carl Fredrick	M	7	Perley Mossey	Florence Stewart	Littleton	Peacham, Vt.	
Mar. 16	M	5	Fred M. Heath	Mabel A. Corum	Littleton	Lisbon, Me.	
Mar. 20, David Eugene	F	2	Alfred Burgess	Fleta Sherman	Littleton	Canada	Littleton
Mar. 25	F	1	Walter Byron	Thelma Sulloway	Littleton	Canada	Burke, Vt.
Mar. 29, Wilbur Wallace.	M	11	Rupert Willey	Georgie Farnham	Littleton	Vermont	England
Mar. 29, Barbara Jean	F	3	George Thompson	Clara Crowe	Littleton	Canada	Littleton
Apr. 3, Edward Byron 3rd	M	1	Edward Parker	Florence Jackson	Franconia	Franconia	Littleton
Apr. 4, Joseph T. F.	M	4	Cyrille Fillion	Antoinette Lehoux	Littleton	Canada	Littleton
Apr. 9, Kathleen May	F	4	Frank Weller	Katie Snow	Littleton	Littleton	Nashua
Apr. 15, J. Wilfred	M	8	Alfred Bilodeau	Albina Goudreau	Littleton	Canada	Canada
Apr. 18, Irene Marguerite	F	12	Thomas Drouin	Mary Couture	Littleton	Canada	

Births (continued)

Date of Birth and Name of Child (if any)	No. of Child		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
	Living	or Stillborn					
Aug. 1, Mary Teresa	F	L	George Thayer	Isabelle Neville	Bethlehem	Boston, Mass.	Nashua
Aug. 4, Rita Mary	F	L	Frank Monahan	Alice Cryan	Twin Mt.	Canada	Canada
Aug. 9, Ernest Roman	M	L	2 Roman	Alice Fischer	Littleton	Mexico	Switzerland
Aug. 10, Clinton Richard	M	L	5 Arthur Girard	Eva Belanger	Littleton	Canada	Littleton
Aug. 11	F	L	5 Harris Drown	Maud Woodward	Lancaster	Littleton	Lyndon, Vt.
Aug. 12, Ernest Charlie	M	L	4 Anthony Lemire	Agnes Trombley	Littleton	Waterloo	St. Johnsbury
Aug. 16, Virginia Jill	F	L	1 Bernard McCulloch	Dorothy Orr	Bethlehem	Bethlehem	Littleton
Aug. 19, Ruth Audrey	F	L	1 Archie Birch	Clara Keezer	Lyman	Hammondville	Plastow
Aug. 19, Marie Theresa	F	L	3 Philip Rancour	Laura Lavoie	Littleton	Littleton	Littleton
Aug. 19, Evelyn Hammond	F	L	1 John A. Rouse	Jean Gavitt	Northfield	Northfield	Westerly, R. I.
Aug. 20, Harold Warren	M	L	7 Roy Church	Nellie Boutwell	Concord, Vt.	Danville, Vt.	Plymouth
Aug. 26, William Francis	M	L	2 Frank Brace	Frances Dodge	Frankonia	Canada	Boston, Mass.
Aug. 26, Beverly Mae	F	L	1 Van Gardner	Harriet Pringle	Bethlehem	Bethlehem	Littleton
Aug. 27, Louise Edith	F	L	2 John Brooks	Lucy Huntoon	Littleton	Littleton	Bethlehem
Aug. 28, Hadley James	M	L	3 Clyde Gadbois	Agnes Cote	Littleton	St. Johnsbury	Bethlehem
Aug. 28, Albert George	M	L	1 Albert Blaney	Selena Cotnoir	Littleton	Littleton	Kingston, N. Y.
Aug. 29, John James	M	L	2 Kenneth Weldon	Dorothy Rose	Littleton	Lincoln, R. I.	Littleton
Aug. 31, Louis Joseph	M	L	5 Wilfred Lavoie	Cecile Chiasson	Littleton	West Milan	New Brunswick
Sept. 5, Evelyn Gloria	F	L	2 Emery Lucas	Maud Goodell	Littleton	Easton	Pittsfield
Sept. 6, Elizabeth Louise	F	L	1 Melvin Bowles	Ida Webber	Easton	Rye-gate, Vt.	Lunenburg, Vt.
Sept. 8, Aner Alena	F	L	2 Kenneth Murray	Henrietta Nichols	Lisbon	Brownington, Vt.	Glover, Vt.
Sept. 9, Samuel James	M	L	4 Samuel Maxwell	Minnie Crowe	Littleton	Canada	Canada
Sept. 12, Armina Adelina	F	L	4 Joseph St. Cyr	Adelina Barron	Littleton	Canada	Littleton
Sept. 12, Manly Claude	M	L	3 Claude Coffran	Christie Moore	Littleton	Lunenburg, Vt.	Pittsburg
Sept. 15, Eugene Arthur	M	L	1 Gay Sweetser	Beatrice Ricard	Littleton	Presque Isle	Littleton
Sept. 16, David Harold	M	L	1 Joseph Badner	Rose Templ	Bethlehem	Austria	Austria
Sept. 17, Joseph Michel	M	L	1 Arsene Lizotte	Georgiana St. Cyr	Bethlehem	Canada	Lawrence, Mass.
Sept. 20, Willard George	M	L	8 Ernest Keniston	Grace Prescott	Littleton	Woodsville	Laconia
Sept. 21, Russell Everett	M	L	3 Everett Trousdale	Elizabeth Willard	Bethlehem	Marysville, Wash.	Canada

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1925 Sept. 17, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Joseph C. Lavalley	Lunenburg, Vt.	23	Machine tender	Albert J. Lavalley	Alfred L. Desautels	
	Ethel F. Platt	Littleton	20	At home	Nellie M. Ferriri	Catholic Priest St. Johnsbury, Vt.	
	Percy O. Lund	Newbury, Vt.	20	Farming	Albert A. Platt	B. M. Smith	
	Octa Garceau	Littleton	20		Florence Bentley Percy A. Lund Eliza Emery Alfred Garceau Addie Allen	Clergyman Wells River, Vt.	
1926 Jan. 13, Littleton	Barnet McLaughlin	Littleton	29	Laborer	Patrick McLaughlin Mary Nedeau	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest Littleton	
	Margaret M. Davidson	Littleton	30	Housework	Andrew Davidson Margaret J. Hogge		
Jan. 21, Littleton	James Landry	Littleton	18	Silver-worker	Joseph Landry Mary Boudreau	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest Littleton	
	Shirley Santy	Littleton	20	At home	Fred Santy Blanche Byron		
Jan. 24, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Joseph Becker	St. Johnsbury	40	Baker	Karl Becker Antonia Parga	W. M. Richardson Clergyman St. Johnsbury	
	Elsie M. Forbes	Littleton	50		John Forbes Margaret		
Feb. 27, Littleton	Alfred H. Sidney	Littleton	24	Chauffeur	Luther M. Sidney Elizabeth C. Mayhew	George A. Merrill Clergyman Littleton	
	Hazel M. Wetherbee	Littleton	20	Silver-mill	Harry S. Wetherbee Jennie F. Santy		
Mar. 13, Nashua	William D. Johnson	Boston, Mass.	21	Student	Philip H. Johnson Jessie Rogerson	Wm. Porter Niles Clergyman Nashua	
	Kathryn F. Gallagher	Boston, Mass.	20	Secretary	Edward F. Gallagher Margaret E.		

Mar. 15, Littleton	Stephen T. Henry	Ft. Fairfield, Me.	29 Laborer	Thomas Henry Agnes Sack Henry Lampro	W. N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Apr. 17, Littleton	Evelyn G. Lampro	Littleton	22 Hotels	Caribel Streeter John Griggs	W. N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Apr. 24, Littleton	Lyman Griggs	Littleton	26 Laborer	Elvada Barnett Robert Lyndes	J. Theo. Johnson Clergyman Littleton
Apr. 24, Littleton	Luvia M. Lyndes	Littleton	27 Housework	Gertrude Gilman Wm. T. Hopkins	W. J. McNeill Clergyman Orford
Apr. 24, Orford	Stephen W. Hopkins	New York	27 Bond salesman	Alice Ingalls Wm. J. Beattie	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest Littleton
Apr. 26, Littleton	Elizabeth K. Beattie	Littleton	25 At home	Elizabeth Tuttle Wm. I. Richardson	H. R. Pool Clergyman Littleton
Apr. 26, Littleton	J. Beattie Richardson	Littleton	25 Ass't H'way Eng'r	Minnie E. Taylor Charles Sanborn	C. R. Watrons Clergyman Groton, Vt.
Apr. 26, Littleton	Edith I. Sanborn	Bethlehem	23 Reg. nurse	Annie Bowlan Fred R. Gardner	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest Littleton
Apr. 26, Littleton	Theodore Gardner	Littleton	24 Expressman	Laura Hitchcock Edward H. Bilodeau	H. R. Pool Clergyman Littleton
Apr. 29, Littleton	Yvonne Bilodeau	Littleton	28 Teacher	Jennie Carbonneau Gustave B. VanVleck	C. R. Watrons Clergyman Groton, Vt.
Apr. 29, Littleton	Richard B. VanVleck	Littleton	20 Chauffeur	Blanche N. Schoch Edward D. Ricker	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest Littleton
May 9, Groton, Vt.	Gertrude H. Ricker	Littleton	19 At home	Jane Kimball Fred Dana	Nelson E. Canfield Clergyman Littleton
May 9, Littleton	William Dana	Barre, Vt.	26 Laborer	Abbie Daniels Harvey Foster	A. H. Totman Trial Justice Fairfield, Me.
May 9, Littleton	Sheila Foster	Littleton	23	Mary Sabine Thomas Woods	Geo. A. Merrill Clergyman Littleton
May 11, Littleton	Joseph A. Woods	Littleton	33 Carpenter	Helen Walsh Mike McGuire	
May 11, Littleton	Mary A. McGuire	Littleton	31 At home	Bridget McGraw George C. Carbee	
May 11, Littleton	Clyde H. Carbee	Littleton	24 Laborer	Nellie A. Willey Clarence W. Gould	
May 12, Fairfield, Me.	Beulah M. Gould	Littleton	17 At home	Leafy King Frank Merchant	
May 12, Littleton	Oliver J. Merchant	Littleton	63 Farmer	Mary Coutois William Green	
May 12, Littleton	Rosa Warren	Fairfield	50 Weaver	Mary Billows Hugh M. Copeland	
May 12, Littleton	Geo. W. Copeland	Taunton, Mass.	25 Janitor	Magie M. Dregghorn Elmer W. Leonard	
May 12, Littleton	Louise M. Leonard	Taunton, Mass.	24 Stenographer	Maude M. Cahoon	

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May 15, Littleton	George H. Knapp	Littleton	20	Laborer	Wm. W. Knapp	Nelson E. Canfield Clergyman
	Myrtle E. Burgess	Littleton	20	Silver-worker	Violet R. Corey	Littleton
May 17, Littleton	Ollie E. Marsh	Littleton	22	Laborer	Harry W. Burgess	J. F. Morin Catholic Priest
	Laura Lefebvre	Littleton	20	At home	Ethel Hart	Littleton
May 22, Lincoln	Roy M. Nichols	No. Woodstock	24	Mechanic	Frank Marsh	H. J. Foote Clergyman
	Doris M. Johnson	No. Woodstock	24	Teacher	Salome Strong	Lincoln
May 23, Oxford, Me.	Wilfred L. Cash	Littleton	27	Shoe-maker	George Lefebvre	Roscoe F. Staples Justice of the Peace
	Ruth E. Magill	Maine	18	Housework	Mary L. Ladeux	Weichville, Me.
May 25, Franconia	George E. Lurvey	Franconia	63	Garage foreman	Floris M. Nichols	Edward W. Cummings Clergyman
	Ida A. English	Littleton	60	Dress-maker	Susie G. Silsby	Franconia, N. H.
May 26, Littleton	John C. LaPoint	Lyndonville, Vt.	37	Merchant	Chas. W. Johnson	J. S. Mackey Clergyman
	Florence E. Stanley	Clinton, Mass.	29	At home	Isabel Reed	Littleton
May 31, Littleton	Charles A. Clark	Rosindale, Mass.	65	Clothing	Albert E. Cash	George A. Merrill Clergyman
	Mabelle E. Smith	Littleton	47	Chr. Sc. Prac.	Zena Childs	Littleton
					George S. Magill	
					Carrie E. Grant	
					Jane Styles	
					Albert Harris	
					Anne Ford	
					Joseph LaPoint	
					Josephine Beauregard	
					Thomas Merrin	
					Evangeline Clarke	
					Moses Clark	
					Harriet L. Damon	
					Freeman B. Curtis	
					Ellen Bass	

May 31, Littleton	Edward J. Cotnoir	Littleton	22	Mechanic	Levi Cotnoir	H. A. Hennon
	Rose M. Drouin	Littleton	17	At home	Olive Cote	Catholic Priest
June 3, Concord, Vt.	Edward M. Lyman	Concord, Vt.	33	Farmer	Jena. Tetrault	Littleton
	Alice Gould	Littleton	18		Edward H. Lyman	Donald M. Flower
June 7, Littleton	Donald L. Miller	Littleton	19	Laborer	Mary Keeler	Clergyman
	Helen S. Gould	Littleton	19		Warren Gould	Concord, Vt.
June 7, Littleton	Wilfred J. Descoteaux	Littleton	18	At home	Hattie Gould	
	Beatrice Lehoux	Littleton	20	Railroad	Roswell Miller	H. A. Hennon
June 9, Brockton, Mass.	Thomas J. Byrne	Littleton	19	Glove shop	Eva M. Hunt	Catholic Priest
	Louise M. Healey	Brockton, Mass.	21	Clerk	Clarence W. Gould	Littleton
June 10, Littleton	John F. Roberts	Pomfret, Vt.	36	Farming	Leafy King	
	Lula M. Sheldrick	Woodstock, Vt.	29	At home	Napoleon Descoteaux	H. A. Hennon
June 21, Littleton	Andrew D. Bradley	Littleton	27	Fireman	Marie Boutin	Catholic Priest
	Muriel K. Huntoon	Littleton	25	Stenographer	Philip Lehoux	Littleton
June 28, Franconia	Herbert A. Hesselstine	Littleton	25	Garage mechanic	Leda Gilbert	
	Frances L. Mills	Littleton	18	At home	Thomas Byrne	Jeremiah J. Minihan
June 28, Littleton	John W. Ross	Littleton	25	Express messenger	Mary Whalen	Catholic Priest
	Agnes G. Page	Littleton	21	Clerk	Thomas L. Healey	Brockton, Mass.
July 1, Worcester, Mass.	Howard C. Lewis	Littleton	35	Salesman	Edith Caron	Nelson E. Canfield
	Edith L. Danskin	Worcester	37	Teacher	Josiah Roberts	Clergyman
July 10, Sugar Hill	Elmer P. Kerwin	Littleton	50	Truck-driver	Mary Simmons	Littleton
	Lillian Edmunds	Littleton	39	Cook	Samuel Sheldrick	J. F. Morin
					Carrie Greene	Catholic Priest
					Andrew D. Bradley	Littleton
					Elizabeth Townsley	
					Carter N. Huntoon	
					Anna Lehan	
					Cyrus Hesselstine	E. W. Cummings
					Hattie Hesselstine	Clergyman
					George P. Mills	Franconia
					Carrie S. Morse	
					Adolphus W. Ross	H. A. Hennon
					Olivia J. Barber	Catholic Priest
					George H. Page	Littleton
					Agnes P. Salway	
					George H. Lewis	Levi T. Miller
					Elizabeth Cobleigh	Clergyman
					James F. Danskin	Worcester
					Margaret Stirling	
					Joseph Kerwin	Jas. L. Cummings
					Annetta Whitcomb	Clergyman
					Sumner Elliott	Sugar Hill
					Myra Streeter	

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July 12, Littleton	Joseph Wm. Malam	Littleton	23	Box-maker	William Malam	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest
	Marie C. Therrien	Littleton	21	Glove-maker	Mary R. LaTulip	Littleton
July 17, Lisbon	John P. White	Bethlehem	40	Farmer	Napoleon Therrien	
	Annabel Jobin	Bethlehem	32	Housekeeper	Annaise Corriveau	Philip A. Job Clergyman
July 19, Laconia	Alfred A. Drouin	Littleton	21	Clerk	George E. White	Lisbon
	Cecile Bilodeau	Laconia	20	At home	Deborah Hilt	
July 29	Henry A. Bennett	Lincoln, Vt.	32	Laborer	John Priest	
	Ruth E. Martin	Bolton, Vt.	21	Waitress	Nettie Crane	C. S. Lacroix Catholic Priest
Aug. 7, Littleton	Richard P. Whiting	Ossipee	20	Laborer	Joseph P. Drouin	Laconia
	Ada L. Ericsson	Littleton	22	Teacher	Lena Tetrault	
Aug. 8, Meredith	Harold R. Trombley	Littleton	36	Barber	L. G. Bilodeau	Nelson E. Canfield Clergyman
	Lillian G. Boynton	Meredith	28	P. O. Clerk	Nella Doyer	Littleton
Aug. 11, Littleton	Thomas E. Boyd	Brooklyn, N. Y.	42	Painter	Joel Bennett	
	Dolly M. Price	Brooklyn, N. Y.	35	Housekeeper	Ettie Haskins	August H. Ericsson Clergyman
Aug. 20, Bretton Woods	William H. Allen	Boston, Mass.	23	Interior decorator	Olive Cadereet	
	Madeline D. Black	Gloucester, Mass.	22	Waitress	Leon L. Whiting	Rodney W. Roundy Clergyman
					Mary E. Frances	Meredith
					August H. Ericsson	
					Lydia M. Dest	W. N. Heald Justice of the Peace
					Cyprian Trombley	Littleton
					Laura E. Tabor	
					Ernest Boynton	
					Jetta L. Felch	
					William Boyd	
					Mary Kelley	
					Thomas F. Price	
					Margaret Byron	
					George O. Allen	Joseph M. McGrath Clergyman
					Lelia Lowden	
					Paul L. Black	Bretton Woods
					Alice D. Troy	

Aug. 22, Littleton	Willie St. Peter	Gorham	23 Highway Dept.	Napoleon St. Peter	Nelson E. Canfield
	Francis E. McGoff	Littleton	19 Housework	Mary White	Littleton
Aug. 23, Littleton	Donat Feloquin	Berlin	24 Paper-maker	Elizabeth Drew	H. A. Hennon
	Yvonne Robenhymmer	Littleton	21 Silver-mill	Edmand Peloquin	Catholic Priest
Aug. 23, Littleton	John A. George	Boston, Mass.	30 Musician	Marie Savoie	Littleton
	Leah T. Wells	Littleton	20 Clerk	Adolphe Robenhymmer	H. A. Hennon
Aug. 24, Littleton	Bertram L. Herbert	Franconia	36 Chauffeur	Amanda Dion	Catholic Priest
	Elizabeth M. Coakley	Manchester	22 Waitress	Theresa Zocchi	Littleton
Aug. 28, Littleton	Henry Sanborn	Bethlehem	19 Laborer	James M. Wells	W. N. Heald
	Catherine Gibbs	Littleton	20 Shoe shop	Mary E. Plant	Justice of the Peace
Aug. 28, E. Haverhill	Fred F. Patridge	Littleton	24 Chauffeur	Chas. H. Herbert	Littleton
	Viola S. Allen	Littleton	20 Silver-mill	Eliza M. Bean	W. N. Heald
Sept. 5, Littleton	Soloman J. Branz	Portland, Me.	22 Garage Prop.	James Coakley	Justice of the Peace
	Tillie Forman	Portland, Me.	19 Book-keeper	Annie G. Whepley	Littleton
Sept. 6, Littleton	Stanwood C. Moore	Portland, Me.	27 Grocer	Chas. H. Sanborn	J. Mellor
	Helen G. Carnrick	Littleton	25 Clerk	Annie Bowlan	E. Haverhill
Sept. 6, Littleton	Edward O. Woods	Keene	23 Cement-worker	Clayton E. Gibbs	W. N. Heald
	Mary M. Patenaude	Littleton	21 At home	Grace M. Magoon	Justice of the Peace
Sept. 18, Littleton	Raymond E. Whitcomb	Lebanon	21 Knitter	Fred F. Patridge	Littleton
	Hortense Ingalls	Littleton	18 Home	Harriet A. Albee	George A. Merrill
Sept. 20, Littleton	Herman Grimm	Carthage, N. C.	24 Auto salesman	Austin Allen	Clergyman
	Katherine Pickard	Groveland, Mass.	20 At home	Sarahine Hamel	Littleton
				William Branz	H. A. Hennon
				Sarah Sadowsky	Catholic Priest
				Kalman Forman	Littleton
				Sophie Abramowitz	J. S. Mackey
				Frank L. Moore	Clergyman
				Myrtilla M. Adams	Littleton
				Chas. R. Carnrick	H. A. Hennon
				Mary MacDonald	Catholic Priest
				Frank E. Woods	Littleton
				Lulu R. Welch	J. S. Mackey
				Charles Patenaude	Clergyman
				Maria Dupuy	Littleton
				Ernest Whitcomb	George A. Merrill
				Mary Dodge	Clergyman
				Fred Ingalls	Littleton
				Mrs. Warren Burt	George A. Merrill
				Lewis Grimm	Clergyman
				Jessie Frye	Littleton
				John A. Pickard	
				Rosamond Goodreau	

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Sept. 20, Littleton	Davila Tardif	Littleton	23	Electrician	Arthur Tardif	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest
	Florence M. Sharman	Littleton	23	Shoe shop	Annie Reul	Littleton
Sept. 27, Lisbon	Harry Ennis	Littleton	32	Chaufeur	Frank M. Sharman	Philip A. Job Clergyman
	Flora B. Rancour	Littleton	23	Clerk	Addeline Arnold	Lisbon
Sept. 29, Woodsville	George H. Wilmarth	Claremont	22	Hotel clerk	Arthur Ennis	
	Avilda G. Thoresen	Claremont	21	Stenographer	Etta B. Corey	
Oct. 4, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Jasper W. Blandin	Bethlehem	21	Riding Inst.	Frank Rancour	
	Hazel B. Jesseman	Littleton	21		Ida M. Carter	
Oct. 7, Littleton	Oliver F. Stillings	Littleton	33	Garage Prop.	Fannie B. McNely	G. J. Buckley Clergyman
	Amy L. Glode	Littleton	21	Glove-maker	Harvey F. Wilmarth	Woodsville
Oct. 9, Littleton	Austin A. Hynes	Roxbury, Mass.	35	Laborer	Gustave Thoresen	
	Rose Morris	Bethlehem	39	Housekeeper	Anna Pederson	
Oct. 10, Littleton	Byron O. Marshall	So. Berwick, Me.	23	Chaufeur	Walter S. Blandin	Geo. A. Neeld Clergyman
	Irene S. Young	Franconia	22	Stenographer	Marion McKenna	St. Johnsbury
Oct. 19, Lisbon	Charles F. Weeks	Littleton	57	Book-keeper	Frank Jesseman	
	Edith M. Baylis	Littleton	47	Milliner	Celia Clark	
					Samuel Stillings	
					Cora E. Hatch	
					John Glode	H. R. Pool Clergyman
					Amelia Blake	Littleton
					Austin Hynes	
					Mary O'Toole	W. N. Heald Justice of the Peace
					Henry Vashon	Littleton
					Kate McCrea	
					Richmond L. Marshall	W. N. Heald Justice of the Peace
					Lilla B. Heath	Littleton
					Frank W. Young	
					Nellie M. Pease	
					David Weeks	
					Minerva Moulton	
					Nelson Parker	Guy Roberts Clergyman
					Hannah S. Morse	Lisbon

Oct. 23, Littleton	Theodore G. Hanson	Lincoln	18	Pool-room	Chas. W. Hanson	W. N. Heald
	Ida M. Mitten	Lincoln	18	At home	Mary J. Violet	Justice of the Peace Littleton
Oct. 23, Norway, Me.	E. W. Hayes	Lisbon	37	Restaurant Prop.	Robert E. Mitten	
	Clara E. Fairbrother	Littleton	23	Nurse	Etta Robinson	N. R. Pearson Clergyman
Oct. 26, Littleton	C. George Cross	Littleton	33	Insurance agent	Georgia Winslow	Norway, Me.
	Kathleen M. Beere	Littleton	27	Book-keeper	John Fairbrother	Nelson E. Canfield Clergyman
Nov. 2, Franconia	F. Robert Taylor	Whitefield	21	Salesman	Myra Woods	Littleton
	Alice S. Hurlburt	Littleton	19	Waitress	Calvin J. Cross	
Nov. 4, Littleton	Wayne L. Fairbanks	Littleton	21	Book-keeper	Mary E. Leete	Thomas W. Harwood Clergyman
	Frances A. Duranty	Littleton	21	Waitress	Elizabeth J. Moore	Franconia
Nov. 17, Franklin	William A. Astle	Littleton	58	Machinist	Fred A. Taylor	
	Alice E. Richardson	Littleton	56	At home	Carrie McKean	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest
Nov. 22, Littleton	Joseph C. Champagne	Littleton	23	Stone-worker	Jennie Stamp	Littleton
	Mildred A. Eames	Woodsville	22	Stenographer	Herbert S. Fairbanks	William Warren Clergyman
Nov. 23, Bethlehem	David H. Simons	Littleton	54	Merchant	Gertrude Craigie	Franklin
	Julia C. Little	Littleton	41	Housekeeper	Chas. J. Duranty	
Dec. 3, Littleton	John W. Pollock	Littleton	21	Chaufeur	Margaret T. Costello	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest
	Beatrice Morrisette	Randolph Ctr., Vt.	18	Waitress	Samuel D. Astle	Littleton
Dec. 4, Littleton	Raymond H. Clark	Littleton	22	Mechanic	Harriet C. Phelps	Elmer F. Newell Clergyman
	Sylvia L. Goodwin	Franconia	18	Telephone Opr.	Robert Vance	Bethlehem
					Sarah Little	H. A. Hennon Catholic Priest
					Paul Champagne	Littleton
					Lillian Boudreau	
					Edwin Eames	
					Alice Wood	
					John Simons	
					Jemima Williamson	
					Samuel Jamieson	
					Emily Jamieson	
					Obadiah Pollock	
					Evelyn Elliott	
					Joseph Morrisette	
					Josephine St. Cyr.	
					George D. Clark	
					Hulda Hall	
					Pliny E. Goodwin	
					Flora M. Cadarette	

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Dec. 7, Rochester	Everett E. Blakley Barbara S. Morrill	Littleton Littleton	19 19	Laborer Telephone Opr.	Albert H. Blakley Elizabeth Harriman B. Scott Morrill Maude Humphrey	William B. Locke Rochester Clergyman

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. N. HEALD, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.

Place of Death and Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years			Place of Birth	Sex	Single Married Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days						
1926										
Jan. 8, Littleton	Kate J. Kimball	69	2	Bath	F	S			John D. Clark	Elizabeth Stevens
Jan. 8, Littleton	J. Augustine Clark	86	20	Littleton	M	M			Frank Bolduc	Paulina Davio
Jan. 8, Littleton	Infant Bolduc			Littleton	F	S			Thomas Fuller	Elvira Farnham
Feb. 10, Littleton	Harriett F. Lang	82	7	Compton, P. Q.	F	W			Richard K. Stevens	Hannah Richardson
Feb. 23, Littleton	Charles W. Stevens	72	7	Lisbon	M	D			James O'Neil	Eliza Hustin
Feb. 24, Littleton	Francis O'Neil	74	4	Vermont	M	M			James Hughes	
Mar. 16, Littleton	Jesse Hughes	78	3	Compton, P. Q.	M	M			David Eastman	
Mar. 19, Littleton	Mary A. Dee	74	4	New York	F	W			Henry B. Chase	
Mar. 22, Littleton	Laura Isa VanNess	73	9	Manchester	F	W			John Kenney	Laura Cleveland
Mar. 24, Littleton	Ellen Kenney	70	8	St. Johnsbury	F	S			George Ford	Catherine Dooley
Mar. 25, Littleton	Anne Harris	82	9	Maidstone	F	W			Isaiah Woodward	
Mar. 30, Littleton	Rebecca Sargent	82	9	Littleton	F	W			Walter Byron	Mary Jane Ladd
Apr. 2, Littleton	Charline		5	Littleton	F	S			Isaiah Woodward	Thelma Sulloway
Apr. 3, Littleton	Harriett M. Littlefield	88	3	Littleton	F	W			Mary Jane Ladd	
Apr. 3, Littleton	Betsey W. Higgins	86	1	Littleton	F	W			James Towne	Lucinda Hildreth
Apr. 5, Littleton	Arthur N. Chase	6	1	Lisbon	M	W			Roland Chase	Irene Connor
Apr. 6, Littleton	Mary L. Stevens	64	6	Littleton	F	S			George Fuller	Martha Streeter
Apr. 6, Littleton	Eunice Stegman	65	9	Canada	F	W			John R. Watson	
Apr. 12, Littleton	Foster Whiting	77	7	Lisbon	M	M			Leonard Whiting	Elizabeth Varney
Apr. 13, Littleton	Olive R. McPherson	68	4	Jay, Me.	F	M			Amos Cole	Elizabeth Murray
Apr. 23, Littleton	Catherine Mountain	53	3	Canada	F	M			Thomas Landers	Mary Murphy
Apr. 25, Littleton	Winston S. Stillings	53	3	Canada	M	M			Chester Stillings	Leona S. Croft
Apr. 28, Littleton	Albert Wallace	73	7	Littleton	M	S			Soloman Wallace	Elizabeth Goodrich
Apr. 30, Littleton	Charles E. Garand	77	1	Berwick, Me.	M	M			Abial Swett Jr.	Martha L. Peckett
May 9, Littleton	Mary S. Stevens	77	4	Sherbrooke	F	W			James W. Landry	Shirley Santy
May 11, Littleton	Lucile M. Landry	81	9	Landaff	F	W			Horace Buck	Polly Caswell
May 15, Littleton	Amanda Buck Albee	81	5	Littleton	F	W			West Hodge	Viana Kendall
May 17, Littleton	Allan W. Hodge	58	7	Hanover	M	M			Abel C. Willey	Helen B. House
May 17, Littleton	Infant Willey		12	Landaff	F	S			Samuel Goodwin	Martha Nourse
May 18, Littleton	Martha A. Bartlett	90	11	Littleton	F	W			Antoine Lemire	Marie Biron
May 19, Littleton	Napoleon Lemire	66	4	Manchester	M	M				

Deaths (continued)

Place of Death and Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years			Months			Days			Place of Birth	Sex	Single Married Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days	Years	Months	Days									
May 24, Littleton	Richard E. Perry	21	4	28	M	Littleton	M	S	Wilfred Perry	Lora A. Pinard						
May 27, Littleton	Georgina H. Bedell	63	10	23	F	Nova Scotia	F	M	Matthew Hawley	Cain						
May 28, Littleton	John F. Griggs	77	6	28	M	St. Johns, N. B.	M	M	Eleazer B. Parker	Esther Bowles						
June 3, Littleton	Wilbur F. Parker	87	5	13	M	St. Johns, N. B.	M	W	Alexia Pageau	Marie Perrault						
June 6, Littleton	France Pageau	87	5	26	M	Halifax, N. S.	M	M	Truman Sanborn	Emily Clough						
June 7, Littleton	Fred G. Sanborn	53	3	15	M	Benton	M	M	Alex. MacKelvie	Margaret Stevenson						
June 10, Littleton	Mary Jane Ramsay	84	5	8	F	Leeds, P. Q.	F	W	Pascal Davidson	Maria Douglass						
June 17, Littleton	Mary E. Kile	88	10	15	F	New York	F	W	Edwin F. Bailey	Mary Bailey						
June 17, Littleton	Edson C. Bailey	63	9	14	M	Newbury, Vt.	M	M	John Whipple	Auretta McCulloch						
June 21, Littleton	Alma C. Glover	75	11	27	F	Lisbon	F	W	Anthony Welch	Lucy Bennett						
June 28, Littleton	Mary Smith	77	8	15	M	Canada	M	W	Charles O. Smith	Lucy Stevens						
June 29, Littleton	Allen E. Smith	51	10	21	M	Danville, Vt.	M	M	John Stickney	Betsey						
June 30, Littleton	Elijah Stickney	92	3	12	M	Lyman	M	W	Albert Parker	Carrie Smith						
July 3, Littleton	Roger E. Parker	4	10	2	M	Littleton	M	S	Loie Vigue	Caroline Seam						
July 8, Littleton	George E. Vigue	62	4	23	M	Canada	M	D	Augustine Gaskill	Martha Hall						
July 18, Littleton	Ivah B. Daniels	69	7	24	F	Littleton	F	W	Walter W. Nourse	Mabel Fuller						
July 20, Littleton	Katherine L. Courser	19	1	4	F	Littleton	F	S	Willie E. Parker	Edith Carr						
July 20, Littleton	Infant Parker	18	7	20	M	Littleton	M	W	Edward Chase	Mary J. Rairden						
July 20, Littleton	William B. Chase	68	7	20	M	No. Woodstock	M	W	Henry Hunt	Flora Ingerson						
July 21, Littleton	Lillian R. Taylor	21	2	19	F	Monroe	F	M	Richard Taylor	Martha MacCauley						
July 24, Littleton	William R. Taylor	72	2	2	M	Canada	M	W	Myron Aldrich	Jane E. Haynes						
July 26, Littleton	Fred Aldrich	20	5	22	M	Lyman	M	S	Peter Gosselin	Josephine Lessard						
July 28, Littleton	Roseanna LaClair	60	4	19	F	Danville, Vt.	F	M	Israel Pease	Mary E. Healey						
July 30, Littleton	Horace M. Pease	64	5	27	M	Rockland, Me.	M	W	Andrew Platt	Mary E. Baker						
July 30, Littleton	Jennie P. Barnitz	84	11	12	F	Andover, Ohio	F	W	John S. Gill	Sarah Boggs						
July 30, Littleton	Thomas A. Gill	86	5	23	M	Philadelphia	M	M	Charles Merksom	Mattie Campbell						
Aug. 1, Littleton	Charles Campbell	12	5	12	M	Littleton	M	S	Edward T. Bailey	Bessie E. Messer						
Aug. 2, Littleton	John H. Bailey	22	2	0	M	Lisbon	M	S	Harris A. Brown	Maude Woodward						
Aug. 7, Littleton	Infant Drown	86	9	24	F	Littleton	F	W	Amasa McDonald	Cesairie Leflamme						
Aug. 11, Littleton	Olive Vandecar	47	7	6	F	Danville, Vt.	F	M	Marimie LaPierre	Bernice Kimball						
Aug. 22, Littleton	Freda Nolan	72	2	16	F	Canada	F	M	Horace H. Richey							
Aug. 31, Littleton	Edwin H. Richey	72	2	16	M	Northumberland	M	M								

Sept. 2, Littleton	Ramie S. Bouffard	73	4	Canada	M	Bert. Bouffard	Catherine Polquian
Sept. 8, Littleton	Minerva M. Weeks	83	1	Lyman	F	Gabriel Moulton	Sophia Walker
Sept. 12, Littleton	George Wm. Smith	82	3	9 Jefferson	M	George W. Smith	Ann F. Aldrich
Sept. 13, Littleton	Mary E. Ball	90	3	19 Hoider, Mass.	W	George W. Mann	Sarah T. Bisbee
Sept. 18, Littleton	Hosea B. Mann	83	6	321 Benton	W	Bart. McGarry	Hogan
Sept. 23, Littleton	Mary L. Carbonneau	88	6	1 Ireland	F	Patrick Shallow	Mary McGrath
Sept. 23, Littleton	Charles P. Shallow	82	6	8 Ireland	W	Ernest Keniston	Grace E. Prescott
Sept. 25, Littleton	Willard G. Keniston	62	9	6 Littleton	S	John Latulippe	Adeline Bolduc
Sept. 26, Littleton	Lucy A. Bouffard	62	9	5 Cookshire	W	Burdick English	Minnie Emery
Oct. 7, Littleton	Bianche E. Orr	36	2	5 Lunenburg, Vt.	F	Louis Brooks	Betsey Rich
Oct. 13, Littleton	Alfred Brooks	79	8	1 Canada	M	Henry Hall	
Oct. 15, Littleton	Emma M. Farr	93	6	24 Guildhall	W	Charles Quimby	Wilson
Oct. 18, Littleton	Hattie J. Sidney	60	9	3 Whitefield	F	Nathaniel Cheney	Genevieve Marcoux
Oct. 19, Littleton	Emma J. Cheney	77	11	3 Franconia	M	Joseph Greenwood	Maria A. Gordon
Oct. 21, Littleton	Joseph Greenwood	88	7	17 Stanstead	M	Charles E. Mann	Minnie M. Crowe
Oct. 24, Littleton	Stephen H. Mann	51	3	18 Bradford, Vt.	M	Samuel E. Maxwell	Ella Drew
Oct. 26, Littleton	Samuel James Maxwell	31	7	21 Littleton	S	Irvin Styles	Lillian Wallace
Oct. 30, Littleton	Goldie M. Ingalls	31	7	21 Guildhall	M	Fred L. Priest	Mary Bartlett
Nov. 1, Littleton	Infant Priest	66	3	8 Littleton	M	Amasa Huntton	Emma L. Davis
Nov. 4, Littleton	Clark N. Huntton	32	3	8 Whitefield	M	Volney G. Blodgett	Florence Dunclee
Nov. 15, Littleton	Harold G. Blodgett	32	3	18 Waterford, Vt.	M	Walter Leighton	Nancy Smith
Nov. 18, Littleton	Sheila J. Leighton	78	5	16 Littleton	S	Francis Y. Elliott	Sophia Dunbar
Nov. 22, Littleton	Jeremiah Elliott	88	1	20 Whitefield	W	Peter Hanaford	Adeline Lyman
Nov. 23, Littleton	Esther Annie Murray	89	3	6 Holderness	F	Alonso Lewis	Charlotte Veigue
Nov. 29, Littleton	Charles F. Lewis	63	7	27 Littleton	M	Charles Stoddard	Natilda Goodheart
Dec. 1, Littleton	Albie C. Stoddard	63	7	27 Columbia	M	Alfred Plant	Alfreda Smith
Dec. 10, Littleton	Yvon G. Plant	65	8	4 Dalton	S	Joseph Domina	Genevieve Rancour
Dec. 12, Littleton	Leander Domina	65	8	18 Canada	M	Moses Rand	
Dec. 18, Littleton	Nellie B. Carpenter	65	3	24 Groveton	F	Jean Bolduc	
Dec. 19, Littleton	Charles Bolduc	85	7	Canada	M		

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Bodies Brought From Away and Buried in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1926.

Place of Death and Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Sex	Single Married Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1925 May 21, Los Angeles	Frances E. Pushee	79	4	20	Massachusetts				Henry Hill	Rosetta Eastman
1926 Jan. 2, Brockton, Mass.	Thomas A. Crawford	70	2	29						
Jan. 13, Manchester	Gracia Handschumaker	66	2	29	Newbury, Vt.				Horace A. Bishop	Martha E. Jones
Jan. 17, Palatka, Fla.	Edward E. Bishop	90	2	29	New York				Wheeler Nichols	Eliza Chesney
Jan. 26, Concord	Ransom Nichols	76	4	2	Littleton				Scott R. Harriman	Bertha J. Placey
Jan. 27, Lisbon	Scott R. Harriman Jr.	71	11	10	Littleton				Noah W. Ranlett	Deborah S. Burnham
Feb. 13, Lisbon	Jennie L. Belknap	46	6	26	Littleton				Ezra Myott	Phoebe Coutoir
Mar. 12, Easton	Helen Darwid									
Mar. 29, Auburn, Me.	Phoebe A. Garneau									
Mar. 30, Quincy, Mass.	Eunice Carter									
Apr.	Raymond Orr									
28, Pawt'ket, R. I.	Ida May Robins	67	10	26	Littleton				Douglas Robins	Betsey Farr
Apr. 13, Haverhill	Deborah Bass	45	6	5						
May 23, Haverhill	Jeannette Bass	85	2	15						
May 30, Middlesex, Vt.	Joseph F. Johnson									
June 5, Lunenburg, Vt.	Leafy B. Closson	78	8	9	Vermont					
June 12, Laconia	Infant Lamkin									
June 18, Lynn, Mass.	Cornelia S. Leach	73	2	3	Laconia				Roswell Blood	Ester Adams
July 2, Bethlehem	Shirley A. Richardson				Waterville, Vt.				Chas. S. Lamkin Jr	Mildred A. Stevens
July 3, Bethel, Me. Y.	William J. McCrea	51	9	10	Bethlehem Jct.				Robert Slater	Edith Sanborn
July 30, Albany, N. Y.	Margaret Taylor	79	2	23	Canada				J. B. Richardson	
July 30, Sugar Hill	Prescott Dudley	37	10	17	Chicago				John McLean	Anna M. Titcomb
Sept. 3, Quincy, Mass.	Sophia Martineau	76	3	14	Canada				E. C. Dudley	
Sept. 6, Lisbon	Infant Hall				Lisbon				William Sealey	Reta Kennedy
Sept. 7, St. Johnsbury	Elizabeth Pennock	52							Jack Hall	
Sept. 19, Bethlehem	John B. Little	78	10	13						
Oct. 12, Lunenburg, Vt.	Lawrence T. Timson	33	1	25						
Oct. 26, Woburn, Mass.	Infant Richardson									
Nov. 1, Massachusetts	Malvin T. Carr	19	7	8	Lisbon				Dennis Carr	Minnie E. Taylor
Nov. 8, Chicago, Ill.	Henry E. Bailey	70	3	25						

Nov. 9, Orlando, Fla.	Liller Mae James	64	5	8	St. Johnsbury					Harrison Cobb	Ann Wheeler
Nov. 12, Lisbon	Lydia A. Cobb	81	10	12							
Nov. 30, Lisbon	A. Henry Demers	50	4	14							
Dec. 8, Waltham, Mass.	Frank Hugh Jones	64									

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